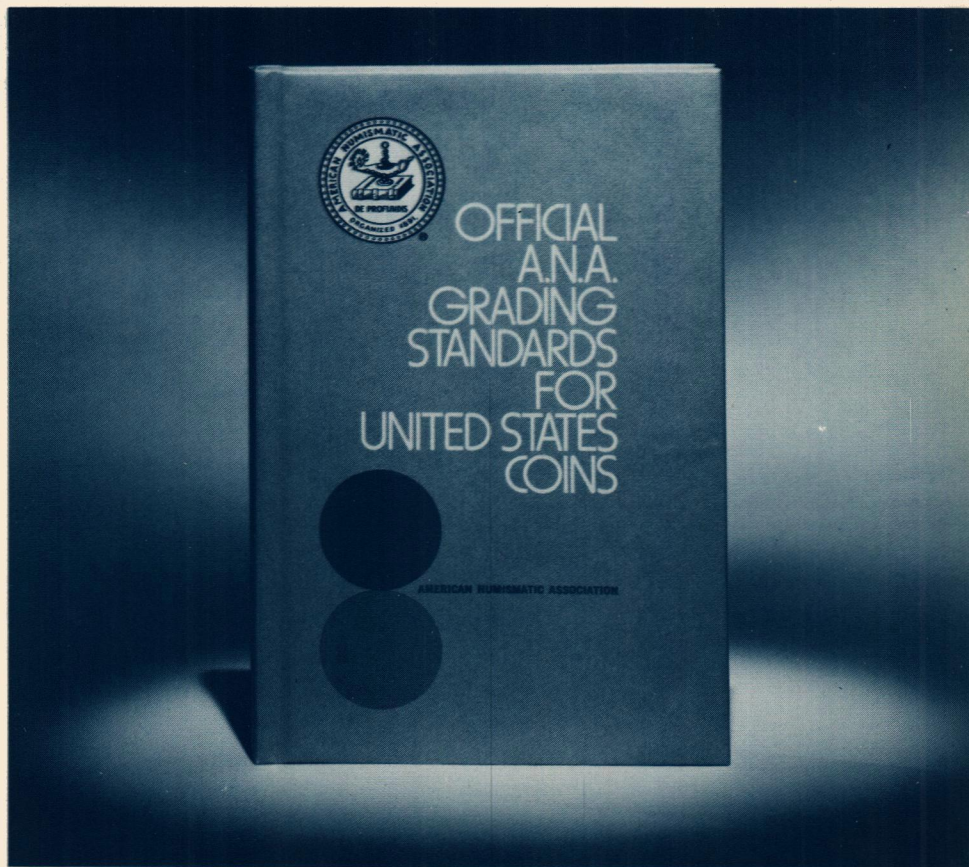




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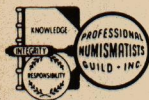
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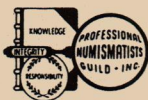
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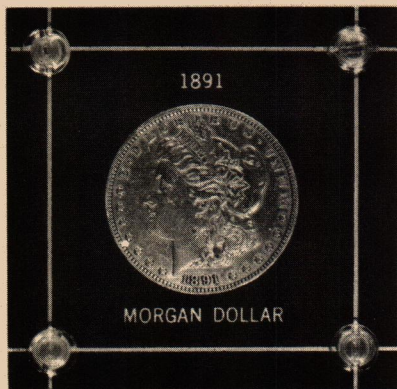
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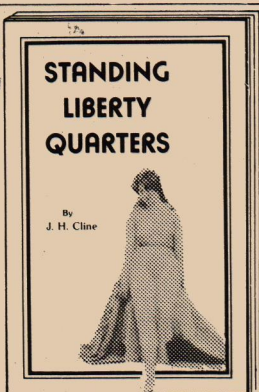
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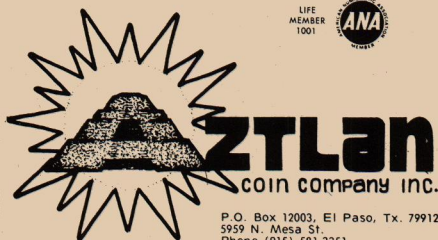
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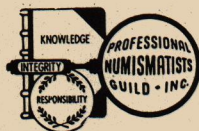
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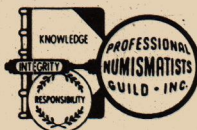
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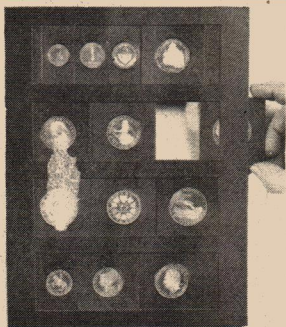
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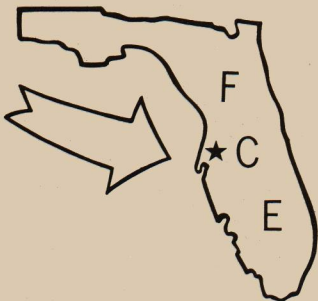
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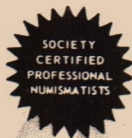


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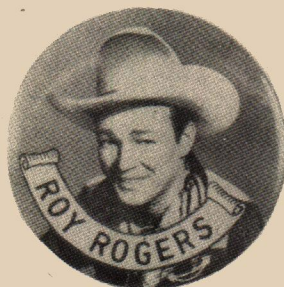


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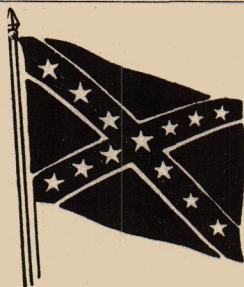
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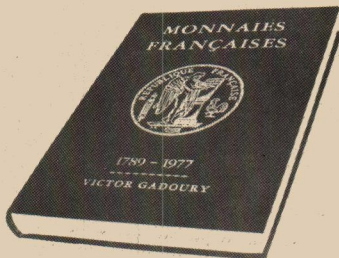
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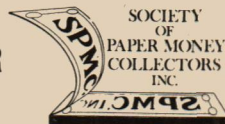
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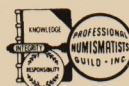
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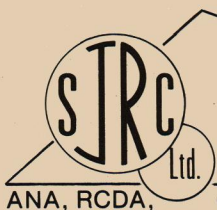
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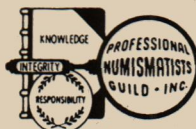
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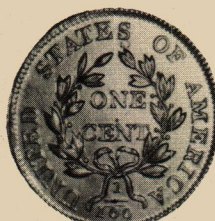
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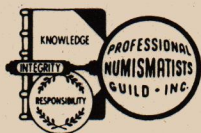
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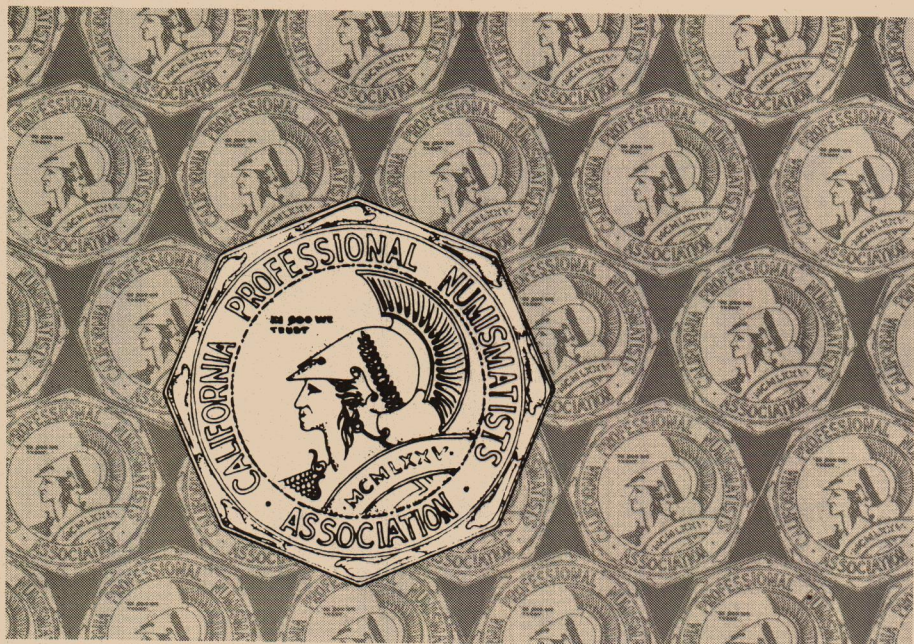
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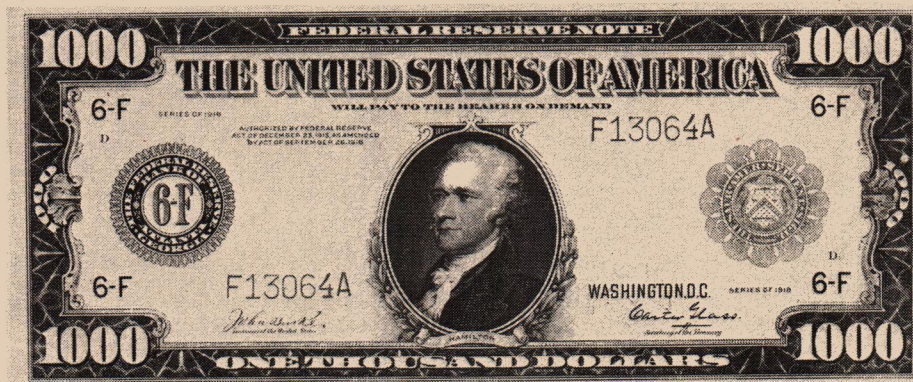
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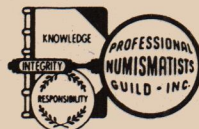
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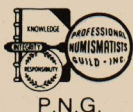
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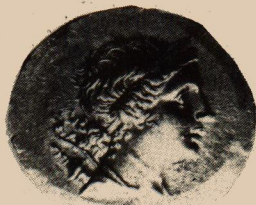
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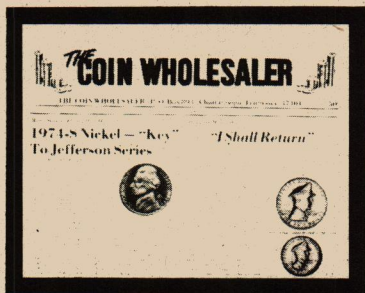
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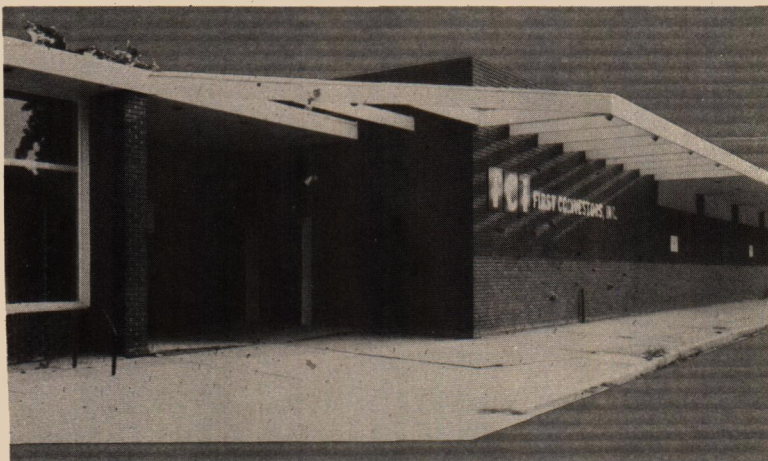


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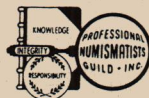
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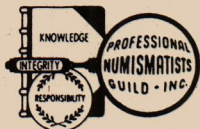
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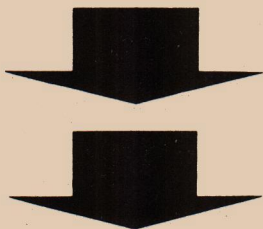
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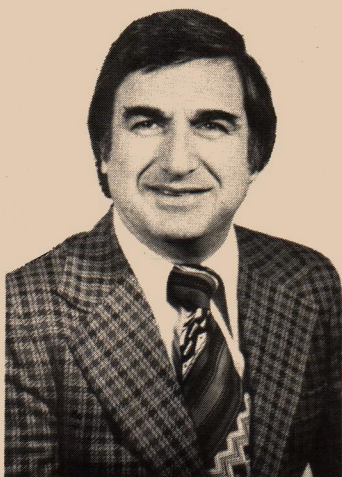
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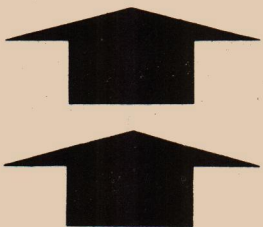
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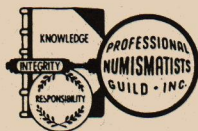
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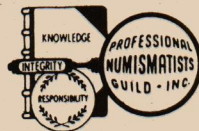
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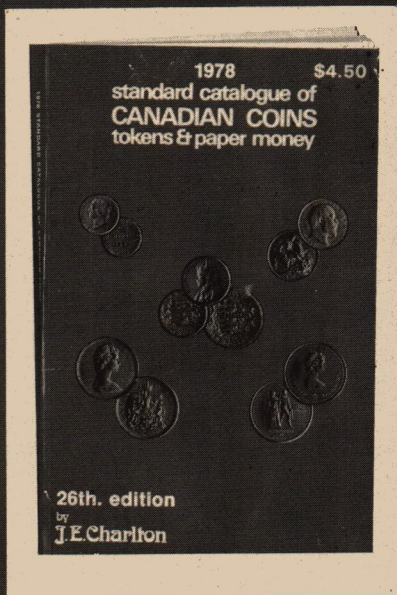


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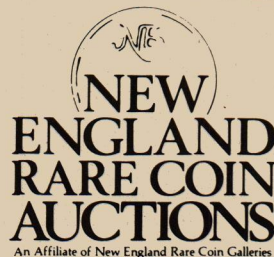
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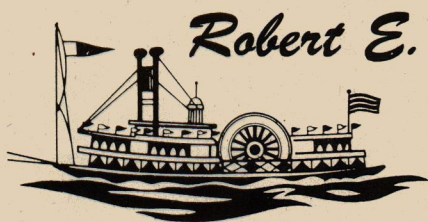


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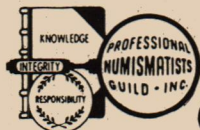
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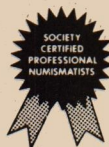


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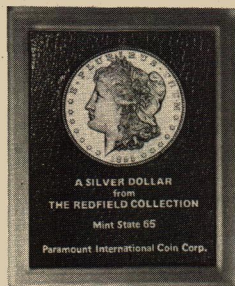
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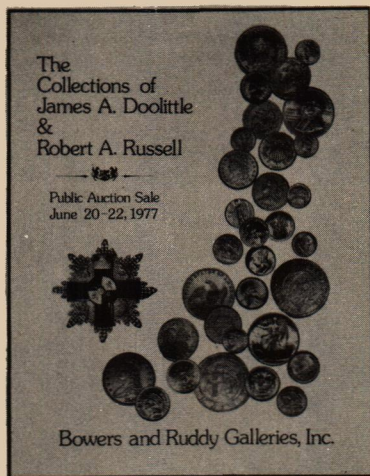
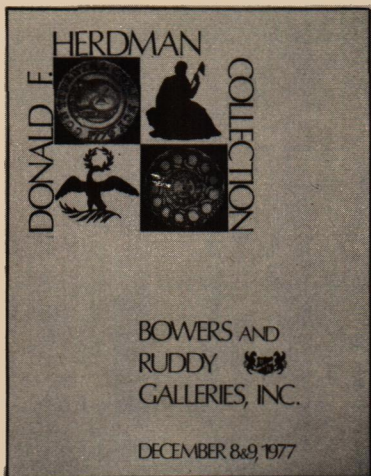
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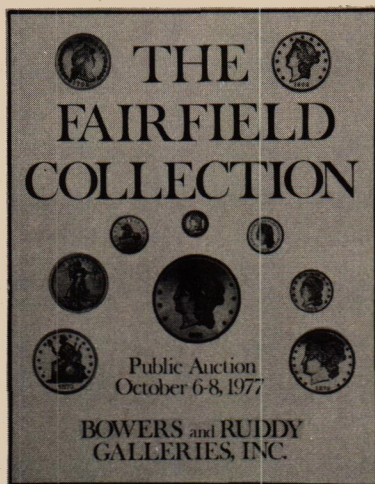
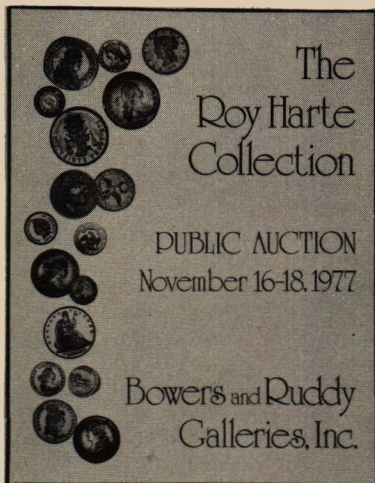
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- J-95322 **Jeffrey Deninno**, Pittsburgh, PA. Kurt Krueger
- J-95323 **Richard L. Eaton II**, Exeter, NH. Peter R. Pienta, James T. Carr
- J-95324 **Ronald Eppinger**, 43 Atherstone Rd., Scarsdale, NY 10583. Herby Skelton, Jr., Grover Criswell
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- J-95329 **John Parliament**, 6611 Oak Masters Dr., Spring, TX 77379. Mr. William H. Johns
- J-95330 **Herman Redner**, 10 Hillside Ave., New York, NY 10040. Kurt Krueger
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- J-95334 **William S. Tuttle**, 16911 N.E. 21 Ave., No. 7, N. Miami Beach, FL 33162. J. Michael O'Neil
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- R-95345 **George Lengbridge, Jr.**, P.O. Box 597, Alpine, CA 92001. John Hunter, Ed Fleischmann
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- R-95353 **Frank Rizzo**, Tokyo, Japan. Patsy Lindmark
- R-95354 **Robert Slater**, 619 Hibiscus St., West Palm Beach, FL 33401. Arthur M. Fitts III
- R-95355 **Brooks Sloan**, Greenville, SC. Les Fox, Sue Chester
- R-95356 **Evan L. Smith, Jr.**, La Vale, MD. James L. Halperin, Christopher Tracey
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- R-95368 **Richard G. Brightwell**, N. Hollywood, CA. Grover Criswell
- R-95369 **Gary A. Buckingham**, Albuquerque, NM. Maurice Maisel
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| R-95270 | Dr. K. Jorg Falkenberg , Athens, PA. Kurt Krueger | R-95289 | Buhl R. Mathewson , 309 Daisy St., Inverness, FL 32650. Patsy Lindmark, Joseph Chobad, Jr. |
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Number	Name & Location	Cash	Material
L-10662	H.W. Luke, Fort Worth, Texas		809.88
GE-10663	Strauss Coin & Stamps, Schamburg, Ill.	100.00	
M-10664	Milton G. Cohen, Westwood, N.J.		543.10
M-10665	Harry J. Forman, Inc., Philadelphia, Pa.	200.00	
M-10666	Jack H. Beymer, Santa Rosa, Calif.	200.00	
M-10667	Kamal M. Ahwash, Media, Pa.	100.00	
M-10668	Art Leister, Camp Hill, Pa.	50.00	
GB-10669	Essex Numismatic Properties, Inc., Portsmouth, N.H.	100.00	
G-10670	Southeastern Currency, Goldsboro, N.C.	200.00	
GB-10671	Michael Kiscadden Rare Coins, Studio City, Calif.	25.00	
GB-10672	Ponterio & Wyatt Coin Galleries, San Diego, Calif.	50.00	
M-10673	New England Numismatic Assoc., West Roxbury, Mass.	100.00	
M-10674	Glen Rock Coin Shop, Glen Rock, N.J.	100.00	
M-10675	International Numismatic Investments, Marysville, Pa.	25.00	
M-10676	Fractional Currency, Forest Hills, N.Y.		400.00
L-10677	Robert L. Steinberg, Boca Raton, Fla.		1,500.00
L-10678	David L. Norton, Midland, Texas		23.50
M-10679	John Ford, Rockville Centre, N.Y.		6,750.00
H-10680	J. Paul Scheetz, Pittsburgh, Pa.	1,000.00	
M-10681	William F. Krieg, Yeadon, Pa.		1,469.50
M-10682	Paul L. Koppenhaver, Van Nuys, Calif.		500.00
M-10683	Coin Investments, Birmingham, Mich.		175.00
M-10684	Robert Vlack, Plaistow, N.H.		230.00
M-10685	Real Audet, Barre, Vt.		68.00
		\$ 7,115.00	\$35,998.13
Receipts under \$10.00		4,118.03	
Total		\$11,233.03	\$35,998.13

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membership report

Applications R-94476, R-94844 through R-95055 and LM-2145 through LM-2154, as published in the December issue, have been accepted for membership.

The following applications were received in December, 1977. If no objections are filed prior to March 1, 1978, these applicants will become members on that date and notice to this effect will appear in the April, 1978, issue.

R-95247	Sumner Adams, Santa Fe, NM. Grover Criswell	R-95258	J. M. Chen, 39 Yuan Pin, South Road, Taipei, Taiwan. Virgil Hancock
R-95248	Ida R. Aldrich, Lakewood, CA. Edward C. Rochette	R-95259	Leon Christodoulou, P.O. Box 7253, Gulfport, MS 39501. Cothran H. Shull, Jr., Ann W. Shull
R-95249	Jerry Austin, 408 Bertonley Ave., Charlotte, NC 28211. Mike Flink	R-95260	Joe Fair Clark, Jr., 250 West 18th St., Yazoo City, MS 39194. B. B. Sanders
R-95250	Dr. Philip E. Bently, 370 Cline Ave., Mansfield, OH 44907. Randall L. Pollock, Marvin W. Schaffer	R-95261	Edward J. Dalloz, P.O. Box 6, Dolton, IL 60419. Edward C. Rochette
R-95251	Michael Bergman, 28100 Coolidge Dr., Euclid, OH 44132. Allan R. Bergman	R-95262	Bernard Davis, 1450 Broadway, New York, NY 10018. John Hunter, Ed Fleischmann.
R-95252	Edward Breliant, Skokie, IL. Donn Pearlman	R-95263	Karen K. Day, P.O. Box 550. Escondido, CA 92025. Edward C. Rochette
R-95253	Tom Bryant, Las Vegas, NV. Stanley M. Zurawski, Stanley Zurawski, Jr.	R-95264	John M. Deknoblough, Rt. 1, Box 183, Pegram, TN 37143. Mark Briggs
R-95254	Sal Cama, 155 E. 34th St., New York, NY 10016. Wendall W. Croyle, Arthur I. Lavitt	R-95265	Col. Leroy Doppel, 5490 Leatherstocking Ln., Stn. Mtn., GA 30087. Edward C. Rochette
R-95255	Dr. Alberto Campana, Via Pisa 11, 00162 Rome, Italy. Donald H. Kagin, A. M. Kagin	R-95266	Thomas R. Doran, 3654 Carlisle Rd., Wamtagh, NY 11793. Edward C. Rochette
R-95256	Charles Ray Cassidy, Ballwin, MO. Robert T. McIntire	R-95267	Clifford H. Dunaway, Arlington, VA. Charles J. Klein
R-95257	Eugene Cheatham, El Paso, TX. George E. Martin, Fern Fields	R-95268	Dave Edwards, Charlotte, NC. J. W. B. Bason, Mrs. J. W. B. Bason

- 12 LIVERMORE, CA. Holiday Inn. Livermore Valley Coin Club 15th Anniversary Coin Show. Don Stiles, Box 610, Livermore, CA 94550.
- WATSONVILLE, CA. High School Cafeteria, Beach and Lincoln Streets, Pajaro Valley 13th Annual Coin Show. Roy C. Johnston, 211 Playa Blvd., Watsonville, CA 95076.
- 17-19 SPOKANE, WA. Sheraton-Spokane Hotel. 14th Annual Coin-vention of the Inland Empire Coin Club. Russ Slaughter, P.O. Box 8454, Manito Station, Spokane, WA 99203.
- MARCH**
- 3-5 COEUR D'ALENE, ID. North Shore Motel and Convention Center. Annual Coin and Antique Show of the Coeur D'Alene Coin Club. Bill Duff, 1137 N. 14th St., Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814.
- 18 FULLERTON, CA. Holiday Inn of Fullerton, Riverside Freeway 91 at Harbor Blvd. 10th Annual Numismatic Educational Symposium sponsored by the California State Numismatic Association. William O. Wisslead, 2053 Cypress Ave., Santa Ana, CA 92707.
- 19 SAN FRANCISCO, CA. Jack Tar Hotel, Van Ness Ave. at Geary Street. 15th Annual Coin Fair sponsored by the San Francisco Coin Club. John Sears, P.O. Box 6028, San Francisco, CA 94101.
- APRIL**
- 5 PUEBLO, CO. Holiday Inn, 4001 N. Elizabeth and I-25. Pueblo Coin Club 15th Annual Coin Show. Maurice Ostby, P.O. Box 11586, Pueblo, CO 81001.
- 8-9 EUREKA, CA. Redwood Acres Fairgrounds. 12th Annual Coin Show of the Eureka Coin Club. Harry Dixon, P.O. Box 505, Eureka, CA 95501.
- 21-23 SAN FRANCISCO, CA. Jack Tar Hotel, Van Ness at Geary. 62nd Semi-annual Convention and Coin Show of the California State Numismatic Assn. sponsored by the Pacific Coast Numismatic Society. George Russell, P.O. Box 943, Santa Monica, CA 90406.
- 27-30 LOS ANGELES, CA. Airport Park Hotel. Society for International Numismatics Sixth Annual Convention and Coin Show. James Betton, P.O. Box 943, Santa Monica, CA 90406.
- MAY**
- 1 VALLEJO, CA. Dan Foley Cultural Center. Sixth Annual Coin Show of the Vallejo Numismatic Society. Michael S. Turrini, P.O. Box 4281, Vallejo, CA 94590.
- JULY**
- 9-15 COLORADO SPRINGS, CO. Colorado College. 10th Annual Summer Seminar. ANA headquarters, P.O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, CO 80901.

FOREIGN

- MARCH**
- 11-12 ABBOTSFORD, B.C., CANADA. Legion Hall. 1978 Annual Coin and Stamp Show of the Fraser Valley Coin Club. Pete Sweeten, Box 13, Abbotsford, B.C., Canada, V2S 4N7.

FUTURE ANA CONVENTIONS

- FEBRUARY**
- 15-19 COLORADO SPRINGS, CO. The Broadmoor Hotel. ANA 1st Midyear Convention. General Chairman: William C. Henderson, P.O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, CO 80901.
- AUGUST**
- 21-26 HOUSTON, TX. 87th Anniversary Convention. Astro-World Hotels. General Chairman: Mrs. Chris Johns, P.O. Box 90156, Houston, TX 77090.
- 14-19 ST. LOUIS, MO. 88th Anniversary Convention. Chase Park-Plaza Hotel. General Chairman: Bernice F. Stevenson, 19 Roclare Lane, St. Louis, MO 63131.
- 19-24 CINCINNATI, OH. 89th Anniversary Convention. Stouffer's Cincinnati Towers. General Chairman to be announced.
- 1980
- 25-30 HONOLULU, HI. 90th Anniversary Convention. Hilton Hawaiian Village. General Chairman to be announced.
- 1981

Donation Report

Number	Name & Location	Cash	Material
M-10639	William T. Anton, Jr., Lodi, N.J.		\$12,750.00
G-10640	William M. Rosenblum, Denver, Colo.	\$ 15.00	
GE-10641	Mel Steinberg, Yellow Springs, Ohio	100.00	
LA-10642	Roger W. Lehr, Amherst, N.H.		102.00
LA-10643	Francis E. Burke, Montoursville, Pa.		15.00
GE-10644	Edwin Shapiro, Teaneck, N.J.	25.00	
GE-10645	Julian Leidman, Silver Spring, Md.	100.00	
GE-10646	Steve Eyer, Mt. Zion, Ill.	50.00	
M-10647	David Schenkman, Indian Head, Md.		150.00
L-10648	Frank & Laurese Katen, Silver Spring, Md.	4,425.00	
G-10654	Delaware Valley Coin & Stamp, Clifton Heights, Pa.	150.00	
M-10655	Howard L. Herbert, Milford, Ohio		6,125.00
M-10656	Manfra, Tordella & Brookes, New York, N.Y.		1,090.00
M-10657	The Roses, El Cajon, Calif.		1,000.00
L-10658	Milton G. Cohen, Westwood, N.J.		1,963.15
L-10659	Roger W. Lehr, Amherst, N.H.		56.00
L-10660	Elmer Hamano, Honolulu, Hawaii		60.00
L-10661	L. Hornbeck, Washougal, Wash.		150.00

- 16 HAZLETON, PA. Gus Genetti's Lodge, Route 309 North. 17th Annual Coin Show of the Anthracite Coin Club. J.J. Kanes, 669 McKinley St., Hazleton, PA 18201.
- 29-30 CUMBERLAND, MD. Fort Cumberland Hotel, downtown. Western Maryland Coin Club Annual Coin Show. George Waingold, P.O. Box 3217, LaVale, MD 21502.
- MAY
- 4-7 NEW YORK CITY, NY. New York Sheraton Hotel, 56th Street and 7th Avenue. Sixth Annual Greater New York Coin Convention Ltd. held simultaneously with the American Israel Numismatic Association, Inc. AINA, P.O. Box 499, Fresh Meadow Station, Flushing, NY 11365.
- 7 ALBANY, NY. Polish Community Center, Washington Ave. Exit. Monthly coin show of the Capital District Coin Dealers Assn. Joseph F. Marcelli, 28 Locust Ave., Troy, NY 12180.
- 7-8 SHIPPENSBURG, PA. Community Center, North Fayette St. Exit 9 of Interstate 81. 15th Annual Coin Show of the Shippensburg Coin Club. SCC, P.O. Box 165, Shippensburg, PA 17257.
- 14 SYRACUSE, NY. Sheraton Motor Inn, Electronics Pkwy. and Seventh North Street at Exit 37 of the New York State Thruway. Monthly coin show of the Onondaga Numismatic Assn. Edmund Wlodarski, 8026 Trina Circle West, Clay, NY 13041.

CENTRAL

- FEBRUARY
- 5 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI. Masonic Temple, 357 N. Woodward Ave. 14th Annual Coin Show of the Birmingham-Bloomfield Coin Club. William Pheatt, Suite 128, 29350 Southfield Road, Southfield, MI 48076.
- 26 DETROIT, MI. Edward Cardinal Mooney Knights of Columbus Hall, 25300 Fenkell. 16th Annual Spring Coin Show of the Northwest Detroit Coin Club. Jerry Kress, P.O. Box 28062, Detroit, MI 48228.
- MARCH
- 3-5 SHAKER HEIGHTS, OH. Somerset Inn, 3550 Northfield Road. 17th Annual Coin Show of the Warrensville Heights Coin Club. Lou Irwin, 20320 Farnsleigh Road, Shaker Heights, OH 44122.
- 11-12 INDIANA, PA. Rustic Lodge, Route 286 South. Indiana Coin Club 20th Annual Spring Coin Show. Carlo V. Stabile, Box 91, Lucerne Mines, PA 15754.
- 17-19 CHATTANOOGA, TN. Quality Inn South, I-75. 13th Annual Show of the Tennessee State Numismatic Society. Ruth W. Armstrong, 1501 Akins Drive, Chattanooga, TN 37411.
- APRIL
- 2 MARION, IN. Grant County 4-H Building, one mile east of the courthouse on State Highway 18. Marion Coin Club 20th Annual Show. W. Ray Lockwood, Marion Coin Club, P.O. Box 93, Marion, IN 46952.
- MAY
- 12-14 ST. LOUIS, MO. Chase-Park Plaza Hotel, 212 N. Kings Hwy. Central States Numismatic Society 39th Anniversary Convention. Mrs. John S. Stevenson, 19 Roclare Lane, St. Louis, MO 63131.

SOUTH

- FEBRUARY
- 3-5 EL PASO, TX. Rodeway Inn, Bassett Center, I-10 at Geronimo. 15th Annual Coin Convention of the International Coin Club of El Paso. Harry E. Johnson, Box 4351, El Paso, TX 79914.
- 11-12 VICKSBURG, MS. Holiday Inn, just off I-20. Coin Show of the Vicksburg Coin Club. Cason Shaffer, 108 Second Avenue, Vicksburg, MS 39180.
- 17-19 ST. PETERSBURG, FL. Bayfront Center, Neptune Room, 400 1st St. South, downtown. Coin Show of the Gulfport Coin Club. Marc Earle, P.O. Box 13192, St. Petersburg, FL 33733.
- 18-19 NEW ORLEANS, LA. Fontainebleau Hotel, 4040 Tulane Ave. 17th Annual Coinival of the Crescent City Coin Club. Lucy Hayden, 5620 Morton St., Metairie, LA 70003.
- MARCH
- 3-5 ATLANTA, GA. Dunfey's Royal Coach Inn, I-75 at Howell Mill Road. 14th Annual Convention of the Georgia Numismatic Association. Jack Hancock, Lenox Towers, Suite 835, 3400 Peachtree Road, Atlanta, GA 30326.
- 11-12 MERIDIAN, MS. Frank Cochran Center. 17th Annual Convention and Coin Show of the Mississippi Numismatic Association. Mrs. H.L. Brewer, P.O. Box 951, Meridian, MS 39301.
- 18-19 FORT SMITH, AR. Fort Smith Municipal Auditorium, 55 South 7th Street. 23rd Annual Spring Coin Show of the Albert Pike Numismatic Society. Sue Strain, 2410 S. M Street, Ft. Smith, AR 72901.
- APRIL
- 1-2 MARIETTA, GA. Holiday Inn, I-75 N. at Lockheed-Dobbins Exit. Marietta/Smyrna Coin Show. M/SCC, P.O. Box 3, Marietta, GA 30060.
- 14-16 DALLAS, TX. Fairmont Hotel. 20th Annual Texas Numismatic Association Convention. C.C. Andrews, P.O. Box 7673, Dallas, TX 75209.
- 29-30 LAWTON, OK. Gateway Sandpiper Inn, 2202 Hwy. 277 North. Annual Coin and Stamp Show sponsored by the Comanche County Coin Club. Grady Leatherwood, Box 5551, Lawton, OK 73504.
- MAY
- 20-21 LAFAYETTE, GA. LaFayette Municipal Park Recreation Center. 16th Annual Coin Show of the LaFayette Coin and Stamp Club. Louis Arden, LCC, P.O. Box 189, LaFayette, GA 30728.

WEST

- FEBRUARY
- 10-11 LOS ANGELES, CA. Biltmore Hotel. 1978 Annual Convention of the Early American Coppers Club. Dane B. Nielsen, 5700 Ralston Street, Suite 303, Ventura, CA 93003.
- 11-12 MESA, AZ. Rendezous Park, 2nd and Center Streets. Annual Show of The Mesa Coin Club. Jack Heil, 2659 W. Baseline, Mesa, AZ.
- TACOMA, WA. Sherwood Inn, South 84th and I-5. Tacoma Coin Club Annual Coin Show. Don Busselle, Tacoma Stamp and Coins, 334 Tacoma Mall, Tacoma, WA 98409.

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EAST

FEBRUARY

- 5 FORT PLAIN, NY. Fort Plain Elementary School. Annual Coin Show of the Otsquago Coin Assn. Ward Cushman, 509 Church Street, Herkimer, NY 13350.
- SYRACUSE, NY. Sheraton Motor Inn, Electronics Pkwy. and Seventh North St. at Exit 37 of the New York State Thruway. Monthly coin show of the Onondaga Numismatic Assn. Edmund J. Wlodarski, 8026 Trina Circle West, Clay, NY 13041.
- 11-12 FREDERICKSBURG, VA. Fredericksburg Community Center, Charles and Canal Streets. 8th Annual Coin Show of the Fredericksburg Coin Club. FCC, P.O. Box 5011, Falmouth, VA 22401.
- 12 ALBANY, NY. Polish Community Center, Washington Ave. Exit. Monthly show of the Capital District Coin Dealers Assn. Joseph F. Marcelli, 28 Locust Ave., Troy, NY 12180.
- 18-19 WILKES BARRE, PA. Master Host Inn, Junction of Routes 309 and 315. Wyoming Coin Club Show. R.N. Matlewicz, 718 E. Elm Street, Scranton, PA 18505.
- 19 ATLANTIC CITY, NJ. International Motel (formerly Teplitzky's), Chelsea Ave. and Boardwalk. 16th Annual Coin Show of the Atlantic County Coin Club. ACCC, P.O. Box 1183, Atlantic City, NJ 08401.
- 25 PARAMUS, NJ. Bergen Mall Auditorium. 18th Annual Coin Show of the Bergen County Coin Club, Inc. Julio Perez, P.O. Box 126, North Hackensack Station, River Edge, NJ 07661.
- 25-26 CHARLESTON, WV. Charleston Civic Center. Greater Kanawha Valley Coin Show sponsored by the Dunbar Coin Club. John T. McNabb, 4110 Lancaster Ave., S.E., Charleston, WV 25304.

MARCH

- 4-5 BURNHAM, PA. Holiday Inn, Route 322. Lewistown Coin Club's Annual Coin Show. Walter C. Biddle, RD 1, Box 161-A-1, Lewistown, PA 17044.
- LEBANON, PA. Lebanon Treadway Inn, Quentin Road and Poplar Streets. 33rd Semi-annual Coin Show of the Lebanon Valley Coin Club. Ken Zimmerman, 41 Jay Ann Drive, Lebanon, PA 17042.
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- WEST HAVEN, CT. Knights of Columbus Hall, 263 Center Street. 28th Semi-Annual Coin Show and Second Annual Coin and Stamp Show of the Liberty Coin Club. LCC, West Haven, CT 06516.
- 18-19 VIRGINIA BEACH, VA. Mariner Resort Inn on the ocean front at 57th Street. 22nd Annual Coin-A-Rama sponsored by the Tidewater Coin Club. TCC, P.O. Box 7251, Norfolk, VA 23509.
- 19 DANBURY, CT. American Legion Hall, 40 Elm Street. Danbury Coin Club Spring Show. DCC, P.O. Box 1074, Danbury, CT 06810.

APRIL

- 1-2 VALLEY FORGE, PA. Valley Forge Holiday Inn, King of Prussia. Coin Show of the Valley Forge Coin Club. VFCC, P.O. Box 587, Valley Forge, PA 19481.
- 2 ALBANY, NY. Polish Community Center, Washington Ave. Exit. Monthly coin show of the District Capital Coin Dealers Assn. Joseph F. Marcelli, 28 Locust Ave., Troy, NY 12180.
- 8-9 POTTSTOWN, PA. Holiday Inn, Route 100 and King Street. Central Pennsylvania Numismatic Association Annual Coin Show. Chester Hoover, P.O. Box 555, Reading, PA 19603.
- 9 SYRACUSE, NY. Sheraton Motor Inn, Electronics Pkwy. and Seventh North Street at Exit 37 of the New York State Thruway. Monthly coin show of the Onondaga Numismatic Assn. Edmund J. Wlodarski, 8026 Trina Circle West, Clay, NY 13041.
- 15 ELLSWORTH, ME. Ellsworth City Hall Auditorium, State Street. 1st Annual Trading Session of the Maine Numismatic Society. Peter Jordan, Pond Avenue, Ellsworth, ME 14605.
- 15-16 PIKESVILLE, MD. Baltimore Hilton Inn at the Baltimore Beltway, Route 695, Exit 20, and Reisterstown Road, Route 140. 6th Annual Convention and Show of the Maryland State Numismatic Assn. William A. Lenz, P.O. Box 6533, Sparrows Point, MD 21219.
- ROANOKE, VA. Tanglewood Mall, Routes 419 and 220. L.W. Booth, Box 1991, Roanoke, VA 24009.

coins could return to the quality and prestige they had prior to the mint's maintenance of customer lists and ballyhoo.

4. I am a re-tread member. I originally joined the Association in 1950, dropped out a few years later, and rejoined in 1975. I had allowed my membership to expire because I didn't think *The Numismatist* was worth the price of admission. And, for the record, I still don't. Too much valuable space is used to drum up business for the annual convention. And now, I suppose, additional pages will be wasted on the semi-annual convention.

Well, I'm taking another chance. I'll pay for one more ride on the merry-go-round. But I'm frankly critical and would, at this time, lay very heavy odds against another circuit, unless the ANA catches the brass ring.

Thomas A. Bergin, ANA 86969

Medal Honors Hubert H. Humphrey

While more than 2,000 well-wishers gathered to pay tribute to Hubert Horatio Humphrey at a \$1,000-a-plate dinner in the nation's capital on December 2nd, a new bas-relief portrait, intended to be struck into fine art medals, was on display during the entire gala evening. The well-wishers, who contributed \$7. million toward a \$20 million fund-raising in Humphrey's honor, included such luminaries as President Carter, the Vice President, members of the Cabinet and Congress, dignitaries from every state, and a multitude of notables from the entertainment field.

The 19-inch portrait, showing a beaming former Vice President, was donated by Medallic Art Company of Danbury, Connecticut, which will strike the medals. The portrait was created by Robert A. Weinman, prominent sculptor and past president of the National Sculpture Society. It displayed Humphrey as "the happy warrior" at the height of his public career.

The multimillion dollar drive was launched by the University of Minnesota, Humphrey's alma mater to establish the Hubert H. Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs. The Institute, an expansion of the University's present school of public affairs, will specialize in subjects close to the former statesman, such as social sciences and political philosophy.

The medals will be issued in two forms, a high-relief fine art medal, and a low-relief, coin-like medal. Both models were prepared by sculptor Weinman and show a portrait of the former Vice President facing left. The medallic portraits will be bestowed upon donors who contribute from \$25 to nearly \$100,000. A galvano plaque of the art medal by artist Weinman will be awarded, along with small bronze busts, to larger donors.

A larger than life-size bust of Humphrey is being prepared by sculptor Weinman, the original of which, in bronze, will be located at the Hubert H. Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs. The United States Congress is considering placing a marble reproduction of this bust in the Capitol.

The medals will be distributed to donors in the following varieties:

- \$24 to \$99: a silver dollar size coin relief bronze medal in an imprinted plastic stand;
- \$100 to \$999: a 2 3/4 inch bronze medal in antique finish with a bronze easel stand;
- \$1,000 to \$9,999: a 2 3/4 inch art medal silver plated bronze in a velvet covered display stand;
- \$10,000 to \$24,999: a 2 3/4 inch art medal silver plated bronze in a Lucite wedge mounted on a walnut stand with individual nameplate;
- \$25,000 to \$99,999: same as above, except medal of 24 karat gold on bronze;
- \$100,000 to \$999,999: 10-inch galvano plaque cast of bas-relief sculpture mounted on walnut board with nameplate; and
- \$1 million and above: 9-inch bronze cast bust statue of the Senator.

Donations may be made to the Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, P.O. Box HHH, Minneapolis, MN 55440. Checks should be made payable to "Humphrey Institute." All donations are tax deductible.



Lost Bidders

Two bidders in our recent Gaver auction sale who were successful in a number of bids and subsequently mailed invoices to addresses given, have had their mail returned marked "no such number." We would appreciate you publishing this letter so that these collectors may contact us re their lots.

K. Chong, Box 254, Honolulu, Hawaii 96825 and R. Nelson, 3621 Wilshire Blvd., Santa Monica, Calif. 90403.

Frank Rose, LM-836
Frank Rose Enterprises, Ltd.
Suite 1000, 347 Bay Street, Toronto, Canada
(416) 863-1559

Referee — Grading

I am a relative neophyte in coin-collecting. I have responded to some of your advertisers in the society magazine and have at least in my own mind questioned the grading of some coins that have been sold to me.

Since I lack the experience I am hesitant to make an issue with the sellers. Is there some agency or individual that could be recommended as an advisor or referee in these circumstances? Is there some agency — voluntary or otherwise — that polices this industry?

Your help will be appreciated.

V.T.Y.,
Joseph E. Appellaniz

ANA is in the process of studying the establishment of a grading service to which members may submit coins and other numismatic items for an opinion as to their condition on the basis of official ANA grading standards. There is every reason to believe that this much-needed program will be adopted sometime in the future.

—Editor

Taking Another Chance

Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$12 for next year's dues. I am renewing my membership despite some problems with the direction being taken by the Association. I shall try to enumerate some of my more serious concerns.

1. While there may or may not be merit in denying bourse space to certain dealers at the convention, there cannot be any excuse for closing an entire exhibit area a full day early. After all, even if half the dealers left the bourse early, there would still be some to see. But when the entire exhibit area is closed, there is nothing to see. (I am very pleased that I decided not to undertake the expense of putting together an exhibit of pattern half-dollars). But, whereas the dealers can sue if they think they are getting a raw deal, the individual travelling to see an exhibit is hardly likely to do so.

2. I am disturbed by the apparent hit-or-miss attitude of the board in approving a book on grading without having read it. This is a truly marvelous act of faith in the experience, judgement, writing ability, and pure professionalism of Abe Kosoff. It is even probable that the faith was warranted. But so much importance will be placed on the pronouncements encompassed in the new "bible," approved and sanctioned by the ANA, that the board action must be labelled "ill-advised."

Look, we need such a guide. I have read ads, just this past weekend, referring to BU with a trace of friction. When a collector experiences difficulty in evaluating such contradicting descriptions, the hobby could be in big trouble.

3. The recent furor over President Criswell's remarks at the banquet is especially disturbing. First, I agree with what he said. The mint is not a friend of the collector. Nor should it be. The business of the mint is to provide a medium of exchange for circulation. When it deviates from that purpose, there has to be a good reason. And the prices charged for proof sets and mint sets are the reasons. If the collecting fraternity would turn its collective back on the high price offerings, the phony friendship would disappear, the prices might come down, and, just possibly, proof



and the 150 Philatelic Centers at post offices across the nation.

Designed by Walter Brooks of Norwalk, Conn., who also designed three current Americana Series stamps,

Letters

CSNA to Honor Mary Brooks

The attached is a copy of a resolution drawn up by the California State Numismatic Association which will be presented to Mrs. Mary Brooks, former Director of the United States Mint. The formal presentation will be made by the CSNA President John E. Lenker at the 10th Annual Educational Symposium, March 18, 1978 to be held at the Holiday Inn, Fullerton, Calif.

The cooperation of Mrs. Brooks with California numismatists in restoring the Old Mint in San Francisco is deeply appreciated, and we of CSNA take this way of honoring her. We would like to share this with numismatists across the nation, and thank you for publishing a copy in *The Numismatist*.

Mrs. Virginia M. Hall,
Editor - *Calcoin News*

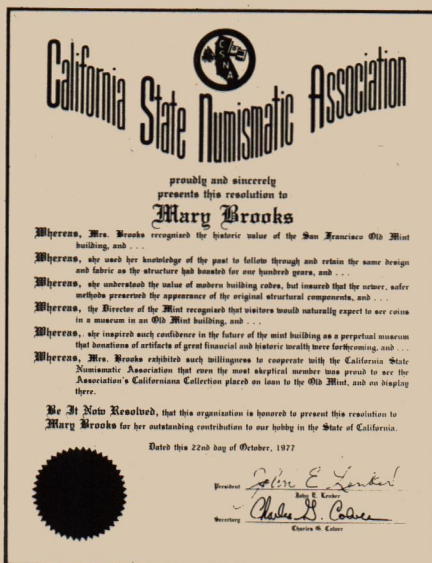
the Indian Head Cent stamp features the work of Bureau of Engraving and Printing employees Esther Porter (modeling), Albert Saavedra (lettering and numerals) and Thomas R. Hipschen (vignette). The stamps are being printed by the intaglio process in brown and blue on tan stock with one plate number per panel of 150 stamps.

Stolen Coins Sought

Claude Ansellem of Rye, New York, is seeking information regarding thirty-six rare coins stolen from him during the New York International Numismatic Convention at the Americana Hotel in New York City on Saturday, December 10, 1977.

The stolen items are comprised of 5 Roman silver coins (4 denarii and 1 argenteus), 25 Greek silver coins (mostly tetradrachms and staters), and 6 world gold coins. All of these stolen pieces were contained in a black case, housing two red trays of 18 coins each.

Further information can be obtained by contacting Ansellem at Box 666, Rye, NY 10580; (914) 939-2058 or 939-2419.



B.U.); 1796 - dime (K-3, B.U.); quarter dollar (D-1, B.U.); quarter eagle (2 specimens - no stars and stars, both unc.).

NYC Police expressed confidence that the arrest of Hagerbrant will result in the return of the remaining coins as well as identification of the other three men involved in the ANS robbery.

... ANS Offers Study Grants and Graduate Fellowship

The American Numismatic Society will offer ten grants-in-aid for study at the twenty-sixth Seminar in Numismatics to be held at its museum, June 13 through August 12, 1978. These grants will be available to students of high competence who will have completed at least one year's graduate study in Classics, Archaeology, History, Art History, Economic History, or other related disciplines. Areas of study may include the ancient Mediterranean, the ancient Near East, mediaeval Europe, Latin America, the Islamic world, South Asia, or East Asia. Applications will be accepted also from junior university or college instructors with a degree in one of these fields. Each grant will carry a stipend of \$750.

The purpose of the grants is to provide a selected number of graduate students with a deeper understanding of the indispensable contribution numismatics makes to other fields of study.

The program of the seminar involves an intensive curriculum of study which will include attendance at lectures and conferences conducted by specialists in various fields, preparation and oral delivery of a paper on a topic of the student's selection, and actual contact with the coinages related to that topic. Formal and informal sessions will treat problems related to subjects such as the following: coin hoards and excavation coins; dated coins and their historical significance; constitutional, social and religious policies as reflected in Roman coinage; Byzantine art history from coins; mediaeval coins as political documents; the contribution of Islamic coins to history and art. Curators of the American Numismatic Society and

professors from universities in this country and abroad will participate in the program.

The Society will also award a fellowship of \$3500 to a university graduate student in the fields of the humanities or the social sciences.

Qualified applicants are those who will have completed the general examinations (or the equivalent) for the doctorate; who will be writing a dissertation during the academic year of 1978-79 on a topic in which the use of numismatics plays a significant part; and those who will have attended one of the Society's Summer Seminars prior to the time of application.

Applications for both the grants and fellowship must be completed by March 1; announcement of the award of the Fellowship will be made prior to April 1. Further information and application forms may be obtained by writing the Society, Broadway at 156th Street, New York, NY 10032.

Indian Head Cent Featured on New U.S. Stamp

The Indian Head Cent graces a new smaller size 13¢ U.S. stamp being tested currently in five American cities. Measuring .54 x .66 inches as opposed to a standard .75 x .87 inches in the image area, the size enables a pane to contain 150 stamps compared to 100 of a standard size, thus making 600 stamps to a sheet normally comprised of 400. Should test results be favorable, the smaller stamps will produce cost savings up to \$700,000 per year.

Tests are being conducted to determine customer reaction to the smaller format, with emphasis on ease of tearing and affixing stamps, and compatibility with mail processing systems in actual operation.

Test cities included in the experiment through May are Kansas City, Mo.; Hartford, Conn.; Richmond, Va.; Memphis, Tenn.; and Portland, Ore. The Indian Head Cent stamps will be sold in these towns until the experiment is terminated, as well as for the next year through mail order from the Philatelic Sales Branch, Washington, D.C. 20265,

notes and queries

ANS to Receive Famous U.S. "1804" Dollar

The American Numismatic Society, one of the largest coin museums in the world, has acquired its first example of the rare U.S. "1804 Dollar" from the Chase Manhattan Bank Money Collection through a special loan/gift arrangement.

Silver dollars dated 1804 are one of the most publicized and sought after rarities in the United States series. No genuine coins of this type are known — all were created surreptitiously by U.S. Mint employees in 1834 and again in 1858. The specimen, now at ANS headquarters, was made in 1858 and first appeared in 1894, accompanied by a document attesting to its genuineness as an issue struck in 1804, signed by the then Mint Superintendent, O.C. Bosbyshell; C.E. Barber, Engraver of the Mint; and R.A. McClure, Curator of the Mint Numismatic Collection. This document, acquired with the coin by the Chase Manhattan Bank Money Collection, accompanies the dollar.

Under the terms of the loan/gift arrangement, the Chase Manhattan Bank has placed its entire interest in the coin with the ANS for a period of ten years with the expressed intention, by resolution of the board of directors, to donate the specimen to the ANS by the end of the loan period. In announcing this agreement, David Rockefeller, chairman of Chase Manhattan Bank, said, "I am personally very pleased that a portion of our coin collection will be transferred to the ANS."

Along with the "1804 Dollar," the ANS has received a choice collection of coins and paper money from the Chase Manhattan Bank Money Museum, including one of two known examples of the 1792 quarter dollar pattern, struck in white metal. The value of the specimens

involved in this loan/gift arrangement is in excess of \$200,000.

The ANS held its annual meeting on Saturday, January 14 at its museum, Broadway at 155th Street in Manhattan. The "1804 Dollar" was on exhibit during the meeting together with a wide selection of coins and medals acquired by the ANS during the past year. Members of the Society's curatorial staff presented short illustrated talks on 1977 accessions. The public was also invited to attend the meeting.

... More Stolen Coins Recovered in Robbery

New York City Police announced the arrest on January 4 of Eric Hagerbrant, 22, of New York City, who is charged with the armed robbery of 93 coins from the museum of the American Numismatic Society on August 21, 1977. Hagerbrant, who unwittingly arranged to sell 71 of the coins to an undercover police officer, is also charged with possession of stolen property. He faces similar charges in Connecticut where, on November 1, he attempted to sell 13 rare colonial coins taken in the robbery and was apprehended in a trap set up by the FBI.

The arrest of Hagerbrant is the culmination of two months of diligent effort by the NYC Police and particularly Detective David Hecht of the Manhattan Robbery Squad, 20th Precinct, who was personally assigned to the case. The events of the final weeks which led to Hagerbrant's capture as he displayed the stolen coins to his "buyer" required the cooperative effort of a number of officers led by Lt. Edward O'Connor of the Manhattan Robbery Squad with the assistance of Lt. Robert T. Gordon of the Squad's Intelligence Division.

To date 84 of the 93 coins originally stolen have been recovered, including all of the colonial issues. The early U.S. Mint specimens which have not been returned are the Society's 1795 eagle and 1796 quarter eagle and seven specimens on loan from Eric P. Newman and the Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society; 1794 - half dime (V.2, unc.); half dollar (2 specimens - 0.101, 0.106, both

world coin news

CANADA — *Issuance of Smaller One Cent Issue Delayed.*

The Canadian one-cent piece will not be put into circulation in 1978. Yvon Garipey, Master of the Royal Canadian Mint, said today the decision not to issue the new coin 16mm instead of 19.05mm for the actual one in use was taken following numerous representations from the private and public bodies in Canada and the United States.

"We recognized that the introduction of the smaller cent would cause problems for these organizations and the general public," Mr. Garipey said, "and hence more time is required."

ENGLAND — *Royal Mint Announces Hong Kong Year of the Horse \$1000 Gold Coin*

The British Royal Mint has been commissioned by the Government of Hong Kong to strike a strictly limited issue of Hong Kong \$1000 gold coins celebrating the Chinese Lunar Calendar Year of the Horse. Struck in 22 kt. gold, the piece is the third in a series of gold coins tracing the years of the ancient Chinese Lunar Cycle.

The Chinese Lunar Calendar is based on a twelve year cycle, with each lunar year in the cycle represented by an animal. February 7, 1978, will be the first day in this Year of the Horse which follows the current Year of the Snake. The Dragon, Goat, Monkey, Cockerel, Dog, Pig, Rat, Ox, Tiger and Rabbit complete the cycle.

This ancient system is much more than a calendar. Based on ancient Chinese mythology and folklore, it is also a way of determining traits of character. Very much like each sign of the zodiac in astrology, each animal in the Chinese calendar represents unique character traits and qualities. Chinese lore holds that persons take on the traits of the symbol of the lunar year in which they were born.

The Horse, a favorite theme for Chinese art, is a symbol of speed, perseverance and intelligence. During centuries past, the worship of the Horse God was an important part of the Chinese Imperial ritual. Even the traditional Chinese pigtail is said to have been inspired from the horse.

The design for this Year of the Horse coin is based on an ancient Chinese bronze statue, which depicts a galloping horse with its right hind hoof on a flying swallow. From an artist's sketch and photographs of the statue, the Royal Mint engraver has captured on these gold coins the unique beauty and unusual animation of the original sculpture in a new dimension. The obverse of the coin bears the famous Machin portrait of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

The 22 kt. gold coin for The Year of the Horse is legal tender in Hong Kong, with a face value of (HK) \$1000. It can be redeemed at the Bank of Hong Kong at current exchange rates.

The British Royal Mint will strike the coin in two versions: proof and bright uncirculated. The proof version will sell for \$330 (U.S.) and the bright uncirculated for \$225 (U.S.). Mintage will be limited to 10,000 proofs and 20,000 bright uncirculated. Of those quantities, only a small percentage will be allocated for North American collectors.

The Royal Mint is making these limited numbers of Year of the Horse gold coins available to collectors. Buyers of the previous Dragon and Snake gold coins, will receive advance order information. New collectors, seeking information or order forms for the Hong Kong Year of the Horse gold coin should contact: The British Royal Mint, 128 Passaic Avenue, Fairfield, NJ 07006.

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by Geneva Karlson, Librarian



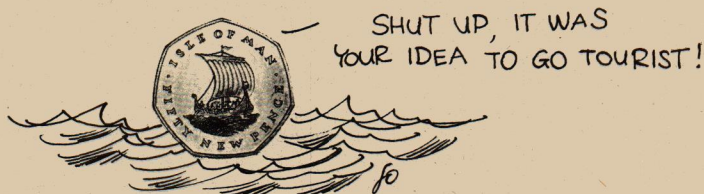
Elephant Tokens of Carolina and New England

Most of the coinage used in early Colonial America arrived through trade activities with Europe. However, the 1694 Carolina and New England Elephant Tokens differ in that they were struck in England specifically for use in the colonies. They were minted in copper and used as halfpennies. The obverse design portrays an African elephant facing left; the reverse legends are GOD PRESERVE CAROLINA AND THE LORD PROPRIETORS or GOD PRESERVE NEW ENGLAND. Both bear the same date of 1694. There is a second variety of the Carolina token with the spelling PROPRIETERS.

These pieces are linked with the London Elephant Tokens which were struck during the reign of Charles II while the plague and disastrous fires were raging throughout the city. They bear the same obverse design and the reverse portrays the crest of the city of London with the legend GOD PRESERVE LONDON. These are undated but are thought to have been produced circa 1665-68. The use of the African elephant on the obverse may be attributed to the fact that the metal from which they were minted came from that continent through The Royal African Company.

For further reading you may wish to peruse the following books from the ANA library. All are available on loan to members:

AA80	Abbott, G.	The Elephant on Coins
A2		
GA30	Taxay, D.	The Comprehensive Catalog and Encyclopedia of U.S. Coins
T3		
GB50	Newman, E. &	Studies on Money in Early America
N4	Doty, R., Eds.	
JB67	Peck, C.	English Copper, Tin and Bronze Coins in the British Museum, 1558-1958. Second edition.
B7		



FEATURING *YOUNG* NUMISMATISTS

Roman Coin Project

by David R. Cervin, ANA 65523

Patricia J. Kang, Birmingham, Michigan, is a professional writer. Patricia is a mere seventeen but she has truly earned this title. Last August, Patricia attended the ANA Convention at Atlanta taking copious notes every day on junior activities. Then she put it all together and sent it to *Coin World*. There her 4100 word report was published in the September 28 issue. It was certainly a thorough and well-written report, definitely professional in all aspects.

Now there are two thoughtful points concerning Patricia's work. *Point one.* For this report, Patricia has received a Roman coin of Theodosius I, AD 379-395, identified by Sear as No. 4082. This isn't much, but when she wrote the article she had not yet begun participating in the RCP, so receiving a Roman coin was an unexpected bonus.

The important point here is that you don't have to write 4000 words for *Coin World* to earn a Roman coin. a mere forty or fifty in your mimeographed monthly club bulletin will suffice, or you might write in your school newspaper a knowledgeable blurb on numismatics. Keep in mind that what is common knowledge to you in numismatics might be a bit of higher learning to your non-numismatic friends. Briefly, anything that you write, no matter how short, and providing it is published (ie., printed and disseminated to others), allows you to earn a Roman coin under Category #3 of the Basic RCP. (There are six categories to choose from. You may earn up to three coins, but all must be in different categories. The fourth and final coin under the Basic RCP is earned by completing the YNCC. After this four Byzantine coins may be earned under the Advanced RCP.) So really, any junior regardless of how young, can earn a Roman coin by writing.

Point two. As explained above, four Byzantine coins may be earned under the Advanced RCP. These are numbers 5, 6, 7 and 8. Of these No. 7 is the stumbling block for most juniors. The requirement is to have a 500-word article published in either *The Numismatist* or *The Young Numismatist*. The poser

here is that publication of *The Young Numismatist*, for a number of valid reasons, is limited, with only one issue having been released during the past year. In both publications, the time lag between submitting one's article and publication can be quite great, thus discouraging juniors in their efforts to complete the Advanced RCP.

Therefore qualifications for coin No. 7 have been expanded. Publication in these two ANA periodicals will continue as a basis for earning a Byzantine coin, but to these are added other weekly or monthly publications such as *Coin World*, *Numismatic News*, *World Coin News*, and *COINage*. The length rule remains unchanged: 500 words minimum. Two or more articles may be combined to reach the 500 count. Letters to the Editor also qualify. The only requirement, outside of length, is that the article must be published in a national weekly or monthly numismatic publication.

Thus, Patricia has earned coin No. 7. However, by the rules of the game, no coin in the Advanced RCP may be awarded until all four coins have been earned in the Basic RCP. Patricia has earned three coins. As soon as she completes the YNCC, she will receive not only coin No. 4, but *Barclay V. Head's Handbook of Greek and Roman Coins* and coin No. 7.

Are you working in the Roman Coin Project? Would you like to earn up to nine Roman and Byzantine coins, all at no cost to you? Then write for full instructions and a Roman Coin Request Form to David R. Cervin, 6201 Adirondack, Amarillo, TX 79106

ANA Now Offers Catastrophe Major Medical Insurance

Grover C. Criswell, ANA president has announced a Charter Enrollment Period for the new ANA \$500,000 Excess Major Medical Insurance Plan.

Designed to provide high limit catastrophe coverage, this group insurance plan offers comprehensive protection against the spiraling costs of hospital, surgical and medical care. This is the supplemental umbrella-type insurance that picks up the cost of expensive health care when your basic hospitalization or major medical insurance stops paying.

There are three plans to choose from, each designed to tie in with your basic hospitalization insurance. During this Charter Enrollment Period, all ANA members and their spouses will be guaranteed acceptance regardless of their age. All unmarried dependent

children age 14 days to 25 years are also eligible for this guaranteed acceptance provision.

The new ANA \$500,000 Excess Major Medical Insurance Plan is offered at reasonable low premiums. The mass-purchasing power of more than 30,000 ANA members acting as a group and the economies of centralized administration help keep the cost down.

Members will receive complete details of the Plan through the mail or they may write the ANA Insurance Administrator: Albert H. Wohlers & Co., ANA Group Insurance Plans, 720 Garden Street, Park Ridge, IL 60068.

Paul Vincze Celebrates 70th Birthday with Self Portrait Medal



After spending a lifetime designing medals and coins which have won for him universal acclaim, sculptor-medallist Paul Vincze has produced a self portrait medal to mark his 70th birthday. This has been done in response to the persuasion of his many collector friends and admirers.

The medal typifies the skill of Paul Vincze at his very best. The head and shoulders portrait depicts the artist at work and is striking for its portrayal of his fine features and characteristic look. The reverse is unusual in that it reproduces in miniature a composite group of the medals which Vincze regards as his favorites: the Shakespeare medals produced under the sponsorship of the Shakespeare Birthplace Trust and his well-known series of zodiac signs.

The medal has been struck in 2¼ inch oxidized silver limited to 2,500 copies and bronze unlimited. The cost is £29.50 silver and £8.80 bronze (both inclusive of V.A.T.); export prices U.S. \$46.50 silver and \$16.50 bronze. Velvet-lined presentation cases are available at £2 (U.S. \$3.50), plus postage and registration at 80 pence (\$2.50).

Orders must be accompanied by a remittance and should be sent to: The Director, The Shakespeare Birthplace Trust, The Shakespeare Centre, Stratford-Upon-Avon, England.



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Y-6. 1 Dollar, 1977. Cupro-Nickel. Reverse: A Nusu-Nusu head (war canoe figure head) between value: 1 DOLLAR. Diameter: 30 mm. Weight: 13 gr. Edge: Plain. Planchet: Seven sided.



LIRA 1976, all within a wreath of wheat and laurel branches, star and crescent above. Diameter: 32.5 mm. Weight: 11 gr. Edge: Milled.

After much delay, the latest FAO album has finally been released. The album is light blue and has 4 pages with 34 coins. All dated 1975 and 1976, many designs are quite attractive and exhibit good taste and imagination.



Tonga FAO

Y-41. 1 Pa'anga, 1977. Obverse: Portrait of King Taufa'ahau in uniform facing forward between value PAANGA on either side. TONGA 1977 below. Reverse: In center 100 palm trees in 10 rows, all between value PAANGA on both sides, FAO on top. Rounded rectangular planchet: 47 by 27 mm. Weight: 24.4 gr. Edge: Plain.

Struck at the Royal Australian Mint.

Turkey FAO

International Women's Year

Y- . 5 Lira, 1976. Chrome-Steel. Obverse: Mother breast-feeding her baby and holding and reading a book. Initial FAO at right, legend around: KADININ SUCU KULTUR VE ERDEM OLMALIDIR, above: TURKIYE CUMHURİYETİ (Turkish Republic). Reverse: Value and date in the center: 5

Photography: Krause Publications, Iola, Wisconsin.

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Turkey FAO: Raymond Lloyd, FAO Money Office, Rome, Italy.



English below; 1961-1976. Value in English at right top: 2 DINARS, same in Arabic at left top. Diameter: 38.6 mm. Weight: 28.276 gr. Edge: Reeded.

The portraits are of the late ruler H.H. Shaikh Abdullah Al-Salem Al-Sabah and the present ruler H.H. Shaikh Sabah Al-Salem Al-Sabah.



Pakistan

Y-41. 1 Rupee, 1977. Cupro-Nickel. Obverse: A portrait of A.Md. IQBAL between dates: 1877 1977., Urdu legend below: SAD SALA TAQREEB-I-PAIDAISH-I-ALLAMA MOHAMMAD IQBAL. Reverse: Value, large numeral 1 in center, in Urdu below: RUPEE and date 1977 all above a small wreath, Urdu legend on top: HAKUMAT PAKISTAN (Government of Pakistan). Diameter: 27.5 mm. Weight: 7.5 gr. Edge: Reeded.

This coin commemorates the centenary of the birth of this famous Pakistani poet.



Solomon Islands

Y-1. 1 Cent 1977. Bronze. FAO Obverse: Portrait of the Queen to right, date below: L 1977. Legend around: ELIZABETH II. SOLOMON ISLANDS.

This design appears on all the following values on their obverse. Reverse: A native food bowl in the center, between value, numeral 1 above, CENT below. Diameter: 17.5 mm. Weight: 2.6 gr. Edge: Plain.



Y-2. 2 Cents, 1977. Bronze. Reverse: Eagle with spread wings and perched on a war club, value above: 2 CENTS. Diameter: 21.6 mm. Weight: 5 gr. Edge: Plain.



Y-3. 5 Cents, 1977. Cupro-Nickel. Reverse: A native mask at right center, value at left and below: 5 CENTS. Diameter: 19.4 mm. Weight: 2.65 gr. Edge: Reeded.



Y-4. 10 Cents, 1977. Cupro-Nickel. Reverse: A walking sea spirit between value: 10 Cents. Diameter: 23.5 mm. Weight: 5.4 gr. Edge: Reeded.



Y-5. 20 Cents, 1977. Cupro-Nickel. Reverse: A traditional intricate design showing 4 monkeys in the center, Value above and below repeated: 20 CENTS. Diameter: 28.5 mm. Weight: 11 gr. Edge: Reeded.

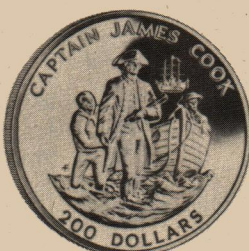
new and recent issues

by Ernst Kraus, LM 129



It is the important duty of *The Numismatist* to record and illustrate new coins. To accomplish this, ANA members in the United States and abroad are invited to submit new issues to Ernst Kraus, Room 939 (include room number in address), 393 Seventh Ave., New York, N.Y. 10001. Coins will be photographed and returned as soon as possible, and a credit line will be given to anyone assisting.

Cook Islands



Y-20*. 200 dollars, 1978. Gold, .900 fine. Obverse: The Queen's portrait by Arnold Machin to right, date below: 1978, at left: ELIZABETH II. Legend at right: COOK ISLANDS. Reverse: Captain Cook wading ashore the island of Hawaii with two sailors; a small boat, Cook's sea vessel, the "Resolution," in the background, Value below: 200 DOLLARS. Legend on top: CAPTAIN JAMES COOK. Diameter: 31.75 mm. Edge: Reeded.

Struck by the Franklin Mint.



Jordan

Y-21. 1/4 Dinar, 1977. Cupro-Nickel. Obverse: The King's portrait within a circle, surrounded by a crowned, winged shield, Gregorian dates below: 1952-1977. Arabic legend below: THE TWENTYFIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE



ACCESSION TO THE THRONE. Reverse: The famous Petra Temple near Amman, carved out of rock, Gregorian and Mohammedan dates below: 1977 - AH. 1397. Value on the bottom in English and Arabic: QUARTER DINAR. English legend in two lines above: THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN - THE SILVER JUBILEE OF KING HUSSEIN. Diameter: 34 mm. Weight: 17.1 gr. Edge: Reeded.



Kuwait

Y-14. 2 Dinars, 1976. Silver & Nickel 50% each. Obverse: Half length portraits of former and present rulers in native costumes, facing, English legend below: 15th ANNIVERSARY OF THE NATIONAL DAY OF THE STATE OF KUWAIT. The same legend in Arabic above. Reverse: An oil derrick in the center, a dhow at right, a fortress at left, ocean waves in front. Gregorian dates in Arabic and

PA70 EDKINS' CATALOGUE OF COAL
E3 COMPANY SCRIP by Donald O. Edkins. 1977. 481 pp. Illus. Hard Cover. The National Scrip Collectors Association, \$22 (includes certificate worth \$2 towards membership in NSCA). Order from The Catalogue Committee, NSCA, John R. Fliss, Treas., 321 Pershing Drive, New Kensington, PA 15068.

This catalog will be welcomed by collectors of coal company store tokens (scrip). The volume is prefaced by articles on the history and usage of metal scrip by coal companies. It then catalogs, by state, more than ten thousand varieties of scrip. The exact obverse and reverse description of each token is given, including size, metal and shape. A rarity has been assigned to each listing, and a general price guide is included. A convenient numbering system is used, and an index is added to facilitate using the book.

GA50 UNITED STATES TYPE COINS by Norman Stack. 1977. 96 pp. Illus. Hard Cover. Stacks, 123 W. 57th St., New York, NY 10019. \$15.

Accompanied by color photographs of exceptionally choice specimens, each section of this volume deals with type collecting of U.S. coins, arranged primarily by metal and secondarily by denomination. The preface and introduction describe the art of type

collecting and project the views of the author regarding full type sets and modified sets. Each section (Copper and Nickel Coins; Silver Coins; Gold Coins; Commemorative Gold Coins; Commemorative Silver Coins; Coins of the Colonial Period; Private Pioneer and Territorial Gold Coins and California Fractional Gold Coins) contains preliminary information regarding the origin and changes involved of that particular coinage. An annotated bibliography is provided for the collector who wishes to study and explore U.S. monetary history. A beautiful book for the U.S. collector.

The following books are new editions of standard references, reprints, or additions to existing series:

RM15 LIMITED EDITIONS OF THE
F7 FRANKLIN MINT. 1977 edition. 367 1977 pp. Illus. The Franklin Mint, Franklin Center, PA 19091.

US20 THE OFFICIAL GUIDE OF UNITED
K4 STATES PAPER MONEY by Theodore Kemm. Tenth edition. 1978. 192 pp. Illus. House of Collectibles, P.O. Box D, Florence, AL 35630. \$1.75.

PA80 TEN YEAR SUPPLEMENT TO TRADE
W5J6 TOKENS OF WISCONSIN by Gerald Supp. E. Johnson. 1977. 162 pp. Gerald Johnson, 1921 Chase St., Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494. \$5.

Official United States Mint Report

Denomination	November		Total
	Prev. Total	November Total	
Dollars (non-silver)	36,956,000	5,169,000	42,125,000
Half Dollars	69,539,000	1,902,500	71,441,500
Quarter Dollars	567,709,371	82,268,500	649,977,871
Dimes	999,293,000	96,002,500	1,095,295,500
Five-cent pieces	758,417,000	56,012,500	814,429,500
One-cent pieces	7,181,945,742	748,167,500	7,930,113,242
1977 Proof Sets (SF)	2,455,796	271,466	2,727,262
Bicentennial 40% Silver Proof Sets	79,989	26,848	106,837
Bicentennial 40% Silver Uncirc. Sets	65,081	4,044	69,125

Coinage Executed For Foreign Governments

Country	Denomination	Prev. Total	November Total	Total
Philadelphia Mint				
Peru	1 sol	2,100,000	—0—	2,100,000
Philippines	5 sentimo	1,088,000	—0—	1,088,000
New York Assay Office				
Panama	1 centesimo	10,000,000	—0—	10,000,000

library book news reviews

All books listed here are available to members on a loan basis from the ANA library.

Loan requests should list the book's catalog number.

Members wishing to purchase these books can quite often acquire them from a dealer more quickly and easily than from a publisher. In other cases, write to the address listed with each book.

US80 MISSISSIPPI RAILROAD CURRENCY
M7M8 COMPREHENSIVELY ILLUSTRATED
by Dr. John A. Muscalus, Bryon W. Cook and Dr. D.C. Montgomery, Jr. 1977. 57 pp. Illus. Paper Cover. The authors, Historical Paper Money Research Institute, Box 187, Bridgeport, PA 19405. (Please write for prices.)

This is one of the latest booklets of the Muscalus series on highly specialized U.S. paper money topics. The title of each is self-explanatory.

JA65 WUPPERTALER MEDAILLEN by
D3 Wolfgang Schulten. 1977. 264 pp. Illus. Hard Cover. Numismatischer Verlag, P.N. Schulten, Bornwiesenweg 34, 6000 Frankfurt/Main 1, Germany. (Please write for price).

Written in German, this book covers the medals, war tokens and inflation money of the town of Wuppertaler located in the Ruhr valley of West Germany.

GA50 THE OFFICIAL AMERICAN
A5 NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION
GRADING STANDARDS FOR
UNITED STATES COINS compiled, arranged and edited by Ken Bressett and A. Kosoff. 1977. 35 pp. Illus. Hard Cover. Western Publishing Co., 1220 Mound Ave., Racine, WI 53404. \$5.95 Please add \$1 for postage and handling. Also available from coin shops or numismatic book dealers.

This book is the culmination of long years of planning and hard work by members dedicated to the hobby of numismatics. It has been anxiously awaited and is having a more than enthusiastic reception by the serious collectors of United States coins. Please see page 48 of the January issue of *The Numismatist* for complete coverage of this book.

JA65 EUROPEAN CROWNS 1484-1600 by
D3 John S. Davenport. 1977. 330 pp. Illus. P.N. Schuten, Frankfurt, Germany (Available from Steve Eyer, P.O. Box 321, Mount Zion, IL 62549.) \$26.50.

This is a monumental task beautifully executed and will be a much used and appreciated reference for the European crown collector and researcher. It maintains the excellence of format of all the Davenport volumes on crowns and talers, with historical notations and an outstanding appendix on legends and their translations.

US80 MAINE OBSOLETE PAPER MONEY
M2W3 AND SCRIP by George W. Wait. 1977. 268 pp. Hard Cover. Illus. Society of Paper Money Collectors, P.O. Box 858, Anderson, SC 29622. \$14.50 (\$10 to SPMC members)

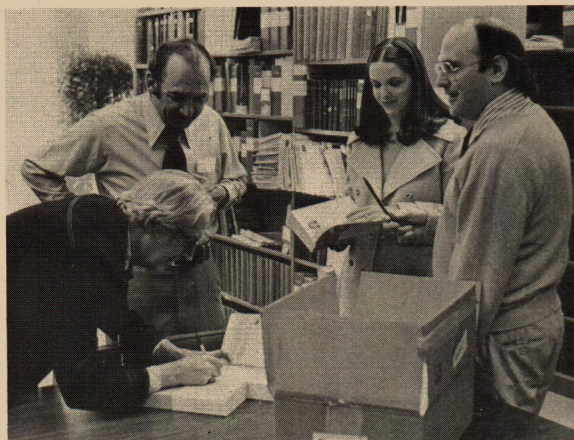
This is one of the books in the program of the SPMC to cover obsolete paper money by states. George Wait has done a thorough job of studying and researching his subject, evidenced in part by a list of 25 collectors of Maine notes who collaborated with him in varying degrees. Much valuable pertinent information is contained in the introduction, including an early history of money in Maine, a list of Maine banks to 1866, and tables of note imprints, rarity and values, and references.

The book is well illustrated although collectors will wish some of the partially blank pages had been used for more photos. Indicating and even illustrating some fraudulent notes is most commendable. Some may be surprised to find that nearly 90% of the notes are rated rarity 6 or 7 (not more than 10 known). A fine and important book.

fordsville, Indiana, from which the first catalogs were mailed in mid-January.

In preparing to publish the catalog, library cards were entered into a computer which, in turn, generated the printouts that formed the camera-ready copy for the catalog itself. Special hardware had to be designed for the computer to handle the unusual printing job. The soft bound catalog is composed of 810 pages the size of *The Numismatist* (6 x 9 inches), with the library material divided into five classes or sections, plus the classification system and two indexes.

After crediting Reed Hawn's liberal donation and charging a portion of the total cost to computerizing the permanent library records, it was possible to set the ANA member price at \$4.95 for as long as the first printing lasts. The price to nonmembers and additional copies to members is \$25. Those wishing to order should write for a special form to ANA Librarian, P. O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, CO 80901.



During Reed Hawn's visit from his home in Austin, Texas, special library catalog copies were autographed by donor Hawn and members of the ANA staff. Glenn Smedley, ex-ANA governor and current ANA public relations director, adds his signature to Hawn's special presentation copy as Edward C. Rochette, ANA executive vice president, and Margaret and Reed Hawn look on.

National Coin Week Theme Selected

National Coin Week is just around the corner. April 16th to the 22nd to be exact, and it is time to start working on those exhibits and projects. This year we have reverted back to the scrapbook concept that was abandoned a few years ago. This way it will allow individuals as well as clubs and groups to participate.

Scrapbooks will be judged on a point system, points being awarded for categories ranging from newspaper exposure to new memberships. There are ten categories in all, each with two or three sub-headings that will make the contest fair to everyone.

The response to last year's (1977) National Coin Week reached far beyond our expectations, and it is hoped that the scrapbook idea will be even more popular. It should be comparatively easy to pile up points with ten categories to choose from. Remember....for each new member you sign up, you will receive an additional ten points.

Whether you want to enter National Coin Week competition as a club or as an individual... write ANA Headquarters,

P.O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, CO 80901, for your National Coin Week packet which will contain all of the application blanks and contest guidelines you will need to participate. Scrapbooks must be sent to ANA Headquarters no later than May 5th, 1978 and if you want them returned, please include enough postage to guarantee it will reach you safely.

If I can be of any assistance please write me at 1572 Bellevue Drive, Wooster, OH 44691, or you may call 216-264-6001. I'll do what I can to help you make this the most exciting and enjoyable National Coin Week yet.

F. Morton (Mort) Reed
ANA Governor
Chairman National Coin Week

ANA Library Receives New Catalog

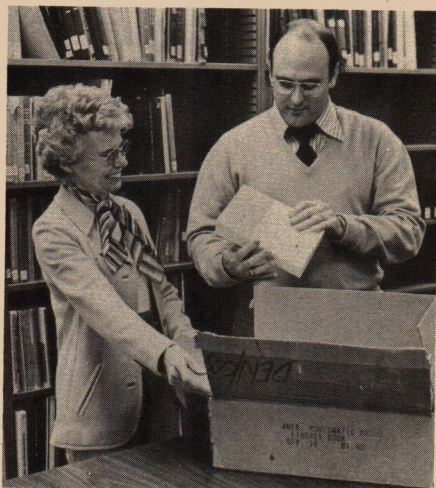
A small shipment of new library catalogs of the ANA was received at its Colorado Springs headquarters recently. The anonymous member who contributed generously to the cost of the catalog revealed his identity by flying in from Austin, Texas, to open the single carton of a dozen books from ANA's Indiana printer, the R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co.

Reed Hawn, ANA member 81601, was accompanied to the Springs by his lovely wife, Margaret. Although Reed had visited the area previously in connection with Arabian Horse Breeders' gatherings, this was his first visit to ANA headquarters, though not his first ANA donation.

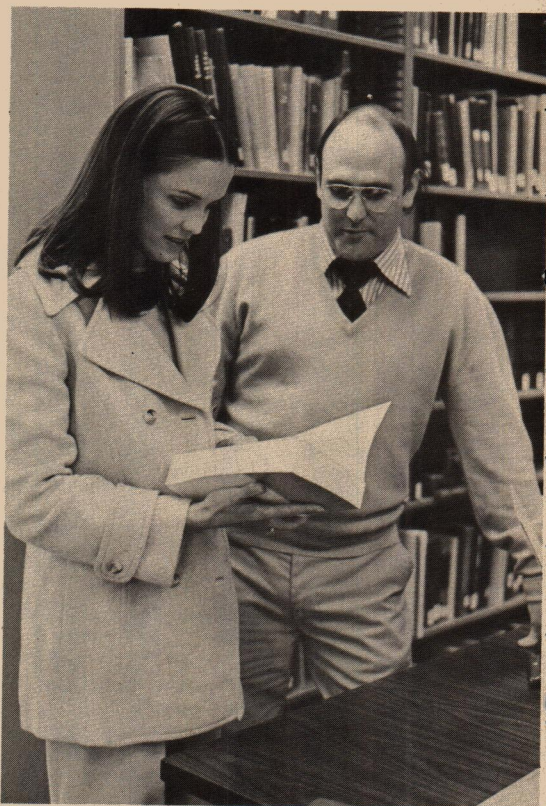
When the new museum galleries were opened 3 years ago, a six-part display entitled "The Creation of a Medal" greeted visitors as they approached the area. The subject of the exhibit is a beautiful Franklin Mint medal entitled simply "Horses" that depicts three free running horses. It is not hard to understand why Reed Hawn chose to sponsor this particular exhibit when one

realizes that his number 1 hobby is breeding Arabian horses. The exhibit is featured in a picture on page 531 of the March 1975 issue of *The Numismatist*.

After the December issue of *The Numismatist* reached members, the special order forms for the catalog, bound in the magazine, started arriving at headquarters in surprising numbers. Within a week over 500 orders had been received, each with the postpaid remittance of \$4.95. As orders were received, shipping labels were prepared and forwarded to the printer in Craw-



Reed Hawn, who contributed generously to the cost of the new ANA library catalog, is assisted by Geneva Karlson, ANA librarian, in opening the first carton of books during ceremonies held recently at ANA headquarters.



During a relaxed moment Margaret and Reed Hawn admire the new ANA library catalog.

Da Vinci Medal Altered for Midyear Convention



Maybe you know about the Leonardo da Vinci Coin Stamper medal issued by the American Numismatic Association last fall. It was released in connection with the installation of a working model of a da Vinci designed coin stamper, fabricated and presented to ANA by the Roger Williams Mint, in the Colorado Springs headquarters of the association.

The 38 mm medal, sculpted in medium relief, depicts Leonardo da Vinci and his coin stamper on one side and the ANA headquarters building with Pikes Peak in the background on the reverse. In the exergue below the building is an inscription suitable to the medal's purpose, with AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION arched over the building.

This attractive medal is being altered for use as the medal and badge for the first ANA midyear convention. No change will be made in the obverse die and only the inscription on the reverse will be changed to memorialize the first ANA midyear convention, February 15-19, 1978, Broadmoor Hotel, Colorado Springs.

The badge, with a bronze pendant medal, will be available at \$3.75 and the set of two medals, bronze and fine silver encased in plastic, \$15. These are "cash and carry" prices, with \$1 added for mailing after the convention. To be sure of getting a badge and/or medal set, advance registration for the convention or a prompt order should be sent to convention chairman William C. Henderson, P.O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, CO 80901.

Encampment at Valley Forge Medal

The latest commemorative medal issued by The American Bicentennial Commemorative Society honors the 200th Anniversary of the historic winter encampment at Valley Forge. This medal was issued exclusively to members of the Society in December exactly 200 years after George Washington and the ragged Revolutionary troops limped into Valley Forge. That medal marks the 33rd commemorative issued by the Society.



Designed and sculptured by Donald Borja, the obverse of the Valley Forge Encampment Bicentennial Commemorative Medal sensitively portrays a chilled recruit. The reverse depicts a small group of men around a campfire and the appropriate legend: "SOLDIERS OF HEROIC FORTITUDE." The medals are minted by the Medallic Art Company, with one proof of each commemorative minted in silver or bronze exclusively for each member of the Society. The original issue price of each solid sterling silver proof is \$15, while the solid bronze proofs are priced at \$9 each. A total of 76 medals will be issued in the series.

Information on becoming a member of The American Bicentennial Commemorative Society may be obtained by writing to Jack Hamilton and the Society at Box 1776, Springfield, PA. 19064.

American Numismatic Association

Mid-Year Convention

Broadmoor Hotel

Colorado Springs, Colorado

February 15-19, 1978

Preliminary Schedule

Wednesday, February 15

8:00 a.m.	Registration opens	Main Hotel Mezzanine
11:00 a.m.	Security opens	Studio Arena
1:00 p.m.	Tour of Denver Mint departs hotel	Broadmoor South Lobby
1:30 p.m.	Tour of Air Force Academy and Garden of the Gods departs hotel	Broadmoor South Lobby
5:00 p.m.	Registration closes	
7:30 p.m.	Board bus for ANA	Broadmoor South lobby
8:00 p.m.	Preview showing of Stack's Galleries	ANA Headquarters

Thursday, February 16

9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting	West Ballroom
10:30 a.m.	Bourse and exhibits open to dealers and exhibitors only	Studio & World Arenas
12:00 noon	Registration opens	Studio Arena
1:00 p.m.	Official convention opening Bourse and exhibits open to public	Studio World Arenas
6:00 p.m.	Registration closes	
8:00 p.m.	Educational forum	West Ballroom

Friday, February 17

9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting	West Ballroom
12:00 noon	Registration opens	Studio Arena
12:00 noon	Bourse and exhibits open to dealers and exhibitors only	Studio & World Arenas
1:00 p.m.	Bourse and exhibits open to public	Studio & World Arenas
6:00 p.m.	Registration closes	
7:00 p.m.	Bourse and exhibits close	
7:30 p.m.	"An Evening with ANACS"	West Ballroom

Saturday, February 18

9:00 a.m.	Dedication of Stack's Galleries	ANA Headquarters
12:00 noon	Registration opens	Studio Arena
12:00 noon	Bourse and exhibits open to dealers and exhibitors only	Studio & World Arenas
1:00 p.m.	Bourse and exhibits open to public	Studio & World Arenas
4:00 p.m.	Registration closes	
5:00 p.m.	Bourse and exhibits close	
7:00 p.m.	ANA Reception	West Exhibit Hall
8:00 p.m.	Banquet	West Ballroom

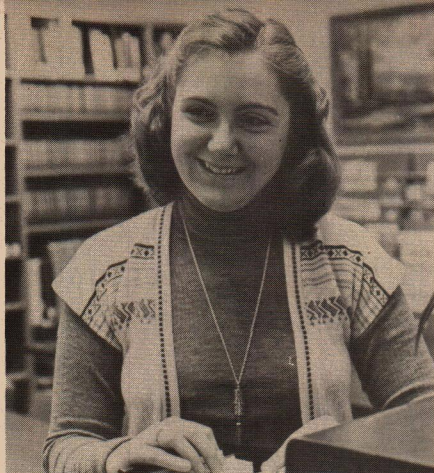
Sunday, February 19

9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting	Bailey & Stratta Room
9:00 a.m.	ANACS Mini-Seminar	West Ballroom

The preceding schedule is as complete and accurate as possible at printing deadline time. There are likely to be changes before the convention, and one should consult the daily program at the convention for exact time and locations of events.



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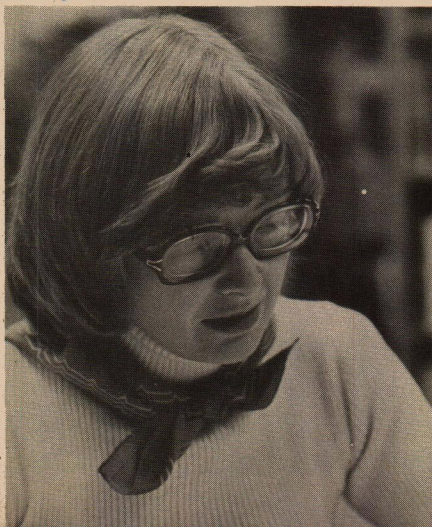


Debbie Brooks



Geneva Karlson

Nancy Stith



Persis Wolfe, photographer, is responsible for all ANACS photography and darkroom work from whence come valued ANACS certificates. In addition she increasingly handles darkroom work for the editorial department of *The Numismatist*.

The ANA library, the largest circulating numismatic library in the country, is headed by **Geneva Karlson**, librarian. Genie oversees all library functions, particularly utilizing her experience to answer all correspondence and questions regarding numismatic literature and resources. She writes a monthly column for *The Numismatist* and organizes an annual book sale held in conjunction with the Summer Seminar.

Nancy Stith, library assistant, is responsible for keeping the library catalog updated and processing all incoming books, periodicals, and auction catalogs. She also offers assistance to all library visitors.

The library's other assistant, **Debbie Brooks**, handles records, orders, and shipping for the slide program, book requests, and reprints. She provides secretarial support to the ANA librarian, and helps with numerous other library tasks.

We all look forward to seeing a lot of ANA members visiting headquarters during the February Midyear convention and in the years to come. After all, getting to know our members and their needs is what working at headquarters is all about.



George "Pete" Peterson, office assistant, handles all mail room operations, storage, and in-house printing work. As general caretaker of the building and grounds Pete tackles dozens of necessary miscellaneous chores which might even include picking up a birthday cake to surprise a staff member.

In the offices of ANACS, **John Hunter** and **Ed Fleischmann**, authenticators, examine all coins received for certification to form an opinion as to whether genuine, counterfeit or altered. Together they write a monthly column for *The Numismatist*, and both answer numerous inquiries on specific coin characteristics and background. Ed is in charge of all microscopic detail photography.

Mary Thompson, ANACS office supervisor and a long-time ANA employee, brings order and organization to the voluminous material ANACS handles, an average of some 650 coins monthly. She maintains accurate records of all coins received and shipped, and handles all correspondence.



Mary Thompson



George "Pete" Peterson



John Hunter



Ed Fleischmann



Pat Black

Pat Black, associate editor, assists the editor and is responsible for researching, writing, and editing of articles and association news for the magazine. She also serves as editor of the *Club Bulletin*, doing copy preparation, layout and design.

Terri Bakken/Carter, editorial assistant, assists the editorial department in writing, editing and proofreading of *The Numismatist* and the *Club Bulletin*. In addition she handles classified ads and correspondence.

Roberta Larsen, advertising coordinator, works with dealers and typesetters in coordinating all contracts, copy and graphics for the advertising section of *The Numismatist*. She also assists in the layout and design of ANA stationery and brochures.

Former ANA governor **Glenn B. Smedley** has joined the ANA staff permanently as its public relations director and is cranking out press releases with diligence. He continues to provide the magazine with a monthly column and is mentor for the editorial department.

Ellen Case, receptionist, mans the front desk of the ANA and is the first to greet visitors to headquarters. All mail and phone calls are directed through her to appropriate departments, and she assists the bookkeeping department by posting all incoming funds. She also handles correspondence on ANA medals and jewelry.

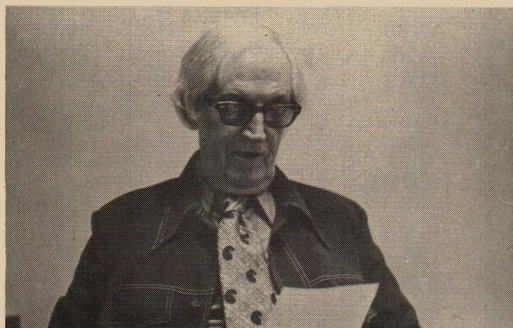
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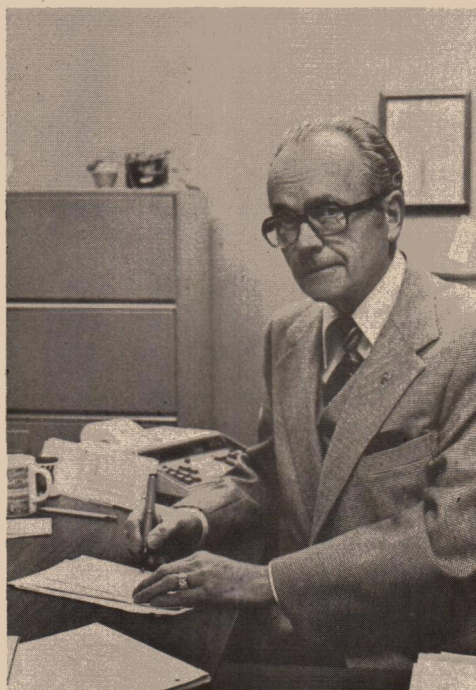


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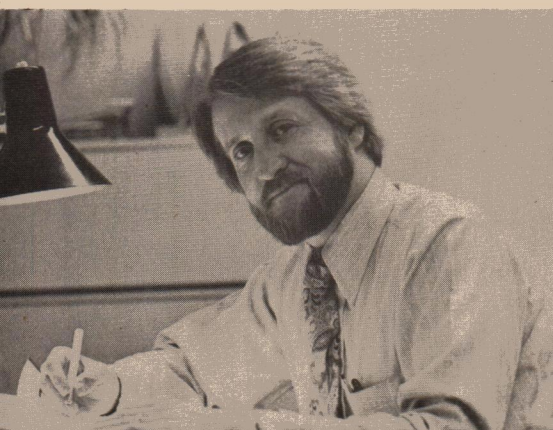


Glenn B. Smedley





William C. Henderson



N. Neil Harris



Kris Doerffel

The other half of the membership office staff is **Kris Doerffel** who keeps the membership records up to date, including the recording of members' dues payments and changes of address, and acts as liaison with the ANA computer service. She also handles the correspondence with ANA member clubs.

William C. Henderson, ANA treasurer and the staff's favorite Colorado historian, assists in the preparation of the association's annual budget, recommends and oversees investments, and renders a monthly report to the board. Bill stops by the office almost every day to sign checks and often serves as contact man in banking matters.

As editor of the association **N. Neil Harris** is responsible for all ANA publications including the monthly publication of *The Numismatist*. He deals with printers and ANA's staff to coordinate copy, design, layout and printing schedules. He is responsible for overall management of *The Numismatist* his first priority, overseeing all copy preparation, and is personally responsible for layout and design of the editorial section.



Kenneth L. Hallenbeck

Kenneth L. Hallenbeck, also recently appointed assistant to the executive vice president, has taken on the task of museum curator. His responsibilities include recording all donations to the ANA, accessioning materials for the museum and archives, and planning and executing exhibits in the ANA's expanding museum galleries. In addition Ken serves as a mediator for complaints between ANA members, handling correspondence between parties involved.



Stephanie Henry

Stephanie Henry, serves as secretary to both Ruthann and Ken. She assists with complaints, donations, and museum, and handles convention correspondence.

Donna Perrien, bookkeeper, works with the association comptroller and is responsible for all financial record keeping, accounts payable, advertising accounts receivable, payroll and employee benefits.

In the membership department **Karol Reynolds** has the important duty of processing applications for membership, making up the monthly list of applicants for publication in *The Numismatist*, and seeing that new members get their cards and other materials. In addition she handles subscriptions to *The Numismatist* and life membership arrangements.



Donna Perrien



Karol Reynolds

Your Guide to the



Staff

Edward C. Rochette, as ANA's executive vice president, has overall responsibility for the management and operation of the association, implementing policies set by the board of governors. Well known throughout the numismatic community, he represents the association to its members, the government, and to the numismatic and nonnumismatic public.

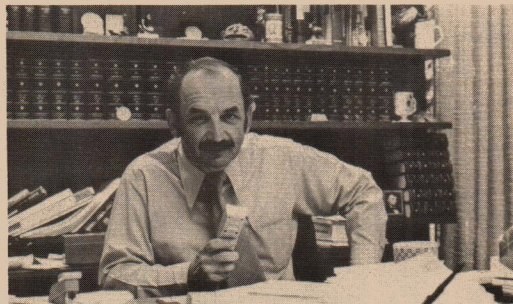
Patsy Lindmark serves as secretary to the executive vice president and handles all general correspondence for the association. She also helps at the annual convention and keeps an accurate record of all business conducted at meetings of the board of governors.



Ruthann Brettell

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ANA services have grown tremendously over the last several years and along with that growth many changes have come about in the ANA staff. Association members who are planning to attend the ANA's first midyear convention in Colorado Springs February 15-19 will have an opportunity to visit ANA headquarters and meet the staff and appointed officers of the association. For them and for all ANA members this guide is designed as an introduction to the staff members and an overview of their responsibilities.



Edward C. Rochette



Patsy Lindmark

Ruthann Brettell, veteran ANA employee and newly designated assistant to the executive vice president, handles all arrangements and planning regarding the annual ANA convention, the midyear convention, and the Summer Seminar. As association comptroller she oversees all incoming and outgoing financial transactions, budgets, and investments.



featuring fakes

P. Newman and Kenneth E. Bressett. By the way, regardless of what you collect, you'll enjoy reading that eye-opener.

If memory serves me, one of the "1804" pieces in recent times was sold for some figure near \$100,000. (I don't have time to dig through the files for that actual sale price, so don't hold me to that \$100,000 figure.)

This page isn't intended to be a book review so, skipping all the interesting detective work done by Mr. Newman, the high points are that the first of the "1804" dollars were made in the U.S. Mint during the 1834-1835 period, with eight pieces known. Later, in 1858, seven more "1804" dollars are known to have been struck in the Mint. Each of the fifteen specimens has its pedigree listed in the book, with the names and dates of each subsequent owner.

The not very plausible story told to the researchers (see page 136 of the book) about the Chase Manhattan specimen was that a freed slave had given it to his son who kept it for nearly forty years until a W. Julius Driefus bought it for \$100 in 1893. From 1893 the record is provable. In that same year Driefus swapped it to Isaac Rosenthal to cancel a \$500 debt Driefus owed Rosenthal.

Rosenthal kept it a year and then sold it through Mint Superintendent O.C. Bosbyshell to James Ellsworth who kept it 29 years until Wayte Raymond bought it. Raymond kept it two years until Farran Zerbe acquired it and then in 1929 Chase Manhattan added it to the bank's collection.

When Mint Superintendent Bosbyshell handled the 1894 sale to Ellsworth, Bosbyshell wrote a letter (also signed by Mint Engraver Charles E. Barber and R.A. McClure, curator of the Mint's numismatic collection) which read, "All the experts are entirely satisfied that it is a genuine dollar struck in the year 1804... and I heartedly congratulate you upon possessing so rare a numismatic treasure."

My own guess is that those Mint officials contented themselves in checking the coin for an altered date, and for it being a cast coin. Finding it was a struck coin, of proper weight, and with no alteration of date, they didn't bother digging through the 1804 Mint records, checking 1804 processes, etc.

Yes, I admit the faked "1804" dollars are interesting. I even admit I wouldn't mind owning one. But for a hundred grand? No way!



virgil hancock's

It wouldn't surprise me a bit if a now available quantity of El Salvador's 1861 silver pattern peso of that country's strongman president, Gen. Gerardo Barrios, would be products of that secret, illicit "Los Angeles Mint." I know that some faked specimens are resting in collections throughout the Western Hemisphere.

The fakes were first struck on counterfeit dies in Austria more than a decade ago, and somehow the dies reached Los Angeles, California, about 1968. The "L.A. Mint" sharpies struck their counterfeit pattern pesos in gold, silver, aluminum, and bronze. The gold pieces were their undoing.

At that time there was no Hobby Protection Act (which now requires COPY to be cut into the field of any counterfeit). But the "Gold Act" was still on the books, prohibiting manufacture of any gold item without a license from the Office of Domestic Gold and Silver Operations. Under the "Gold Act" the Organization of International Numismatists (OIN), a Section of ANA, blew the whistle on the "L.A. Mint" and the Los Angeles office of the U.S. Secret Service took immediate action.

Of the three principals in that illicit operation, one flew to Switzerland, and two now are in a penitentiary for convictions on other criminal charges.

The lesson for today, then, is that you NOT buy any Gen. Barrios pattern pesos, in whatever metal, until AFTER you'll have had the piece authenticated by ANACS, 818 North Cascade Avenue, Colorado Springs, CO 80902.

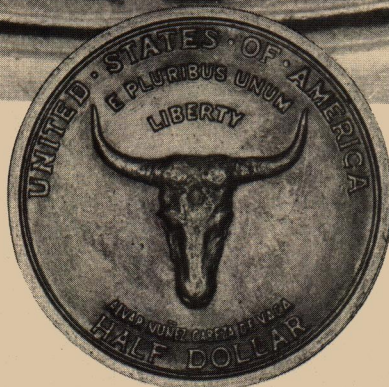
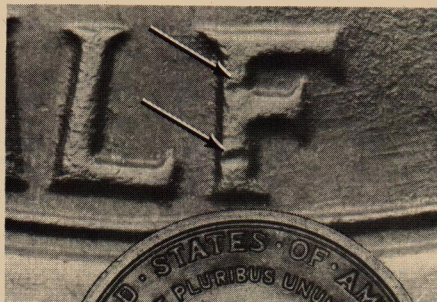
Now I shall take up a topic which I know will raise a howl of disagreement.

It has always puzzled me why anyone would spend a hundred grand for a faked coin, a concoction...for an "1804" U.S. silver dollar which doesn't belong in a "date set" of U.S. dollars.

At the top of the opposite page is a photo of one of the fifteen known "1804" dollars, the specimen which New York City's Chase Manhattan Bank in January turned over to The American Numismatic Society on a loan/gift arrangement whereby after ten years this "1804" will belong to The ANS.

(Don't confuse the 120 years old ANS in New York City with your American Numismatic Association . . . ANA . . . headquartered in Colorado Springs.)

All I know about any "1804" dollar is what I've learned from ANS and from reading *The Fantastic 1804 Dollar* (Whitman) by those careful and impartial researchers Eric



The 1935 Spanish Trail counterfeit commemorative half dollar, like the Hudson, has a number of frosty depressions and some tooling marks on both obverse and reverse. Some of them are:

1. A circular depression on the field inside the curve of the steer's right horn (right as you view it);
2. Two depressions on the vertical portions of the F in HALF and a small depression at the right of the F;
3. A circular depression above and to the right of the triangular mark between the two dates;
4. Numerous horizontal raised lines at left and right of the F in HALF; and
5. A depressed area on the field at left of the state of Florida, on a line even with the D of GOD.

These are only a few of the more obvious defects. Close examination with even a mediocre glass will reveal quite a few more.

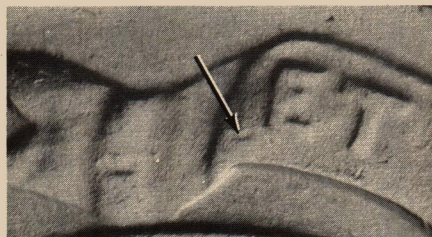
As you read our articles, you might wonder why we point out depressions and seem to ignore other defects. Depressions can be found on genuine mint products if a piece of metal or dirt stuck to a die. However, under succeeding strikes, those bits of foreign material would flatten out and the depression would appear to spread out. However, if a die is made from a coin that has a dent in its surface, that die would reproduce the defect in identical detail during use. Then all products of that fake die would have identical depressions. Such a defect on a single coin would not be proof of counterfeiting, but when it is seen on several coins, the buyer would be well advised to be wary.

Hudson and Spanish Trail Counterfeits

Two more counterfeit commemoratives have appeared in the numismatic marketplace since the ANACS article on the Hawaii and Cincinnati commemoratives in the Nov. 1977 issue of *The Numismatist*, page 2280. The newest counterfeits examined by the ANACS staff are the 1935 Hudson and Spanish Trail commemorative half dollars.

The general appearance of these new counterfeits is about the same as the two previously reported and should not be too difficult to spot with the equipment available to most collectors. Both of them appear to have rather dull and grainy surfaces instead of the bright and sharp surfaces of the genuine mint products.

The 1935 Hudson commemorative half dollar counterfeit has a number of depressions and some raised tooling marks. Among the more obvious are:



1. A depression on the right leg of the M in AMERICA;
2. An irregularly shaped depression with a raised mark on the vertical bar of the R in AMERICA;
3. Some tooling marks between the R and I and at the right of the top of the I in AMERICA;
4. A circular depression and depressed tooling marks in the area of ET DECUS on the ribbon; and
5. Depressed tooling marks on, and around, the EC of RECTI, also on the ribbon.



WM. HART / JEWELER / MAYVILLE, /
WIS. - on 1853 and 1857 quarters

Rather than being struck from a single punch, these counterstamps were made with three punches, as can be seen by a study of the illustrations. I would be interested in knowing if any collector has a counterstamp of this merchant in a different style from these two.



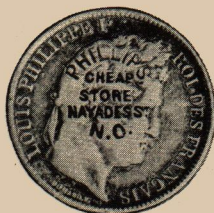
STELLING / 31 / OLD SLIP
- on 1854 quarter

Unfortunately the issuer of this counterstamp didn't include enough information to identify it, as is often the case. I have an early post office street directory, an invaluable aid in identifying maverick tokens. The only street named Old Slip was located in New York City, so I asked a collector there to check his nineteenth century city directories for a listing of this merchant. He found John Stelling listed during the early 1870's at the address on the coin; he was a liquor dealer.



CARELS' / N.E.C. 8TH & / PHILA /
CHESTNUT / RESTAURANT - on
1700's one real

I have no information on this business, but would guess that it dates to the 1840's or thereabouts. Perhaps a member in the Philadelphia area can help by checking early city directories.



PHILLIPS, / CHEAP / STORE. /
NAYADES ST. / N.O. - on 1831 French
five francs

The merchant who issued this most attractive counterstamp was in business only from 1849 to 1855, according to the New Orleans Public Library. Very few counterstamps are known on coins of silver dollar size.



ADMIT TO / BROADWAY /
VARIETIES - on 1817 two reales

Several minstrel and variety shows counterstamped coins having the same value as the price of admission to the show. When circulated, these coins not only advertised the show, but as the wording indicated, they were good for admission. The name of this variety show indicates that the location was probably New York City.

I would be interested in hearing from members having other unlisted merchants' counterstamps, for publication in a future column. — D.E.S.

The authors encourage comments, suggestions, and additional information on reported pieces from readers, and ask that all inquiries be directed to David E. Schenkman, P.O. Box 274, Indian Head, MD 20640.

exonumia notebook

by David E. Schenkman
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Merchants' Counterstamps

Over the years a great number of articles have appeared in *The Numismatist* on the subject of counterstamped coins. So many, in fact, that recently an anthology of these articles, edited by Gregory G. Brunk, was published in book form by Quarterman Publications, Inc.

Counterstamping provided nineteenth century merchants with an inexpensive means of advertising. Once stamped, the advertisement would be read by numerous people as the coin circulated. The counterstamps of some merchants are found on several different types of coins, an indication that rather than have coins counterstamped by a die-sinker, the

issuing merchant had a punch made and then stamped the coins taken during the course of business.

Prior to the 1860's foreign silver coins circulated in this country as legal tender, and many merchants counterstamped these coins as well as United States coinage. The foreign coin most commonly found counterstamped is the Spanish American two reales piece.

In spite of the fact that researchers such as Kenneth L. Hallenbeck and the late Maurice M. Gould have compiled extensive lists of known counterstamps, it is not unusual for unlisted varieties to turn up. None of the counterstamps illustrated below have appeared in previous listings.

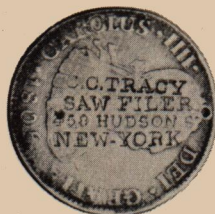


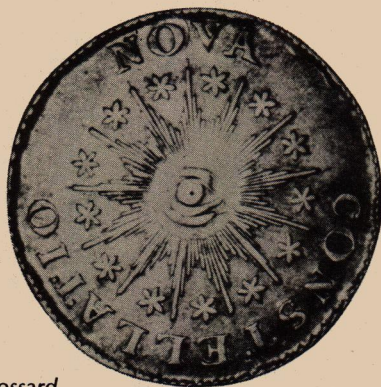
ROBBINS & / LAWRENCE CO /
WINDSOR. VT - on 1838 seated dime

According to a collector in New England, this was a firm of gunsmiths that manufactured pepperboxes. Any counterstamp from Vermont should be considered rare.

C.C. TRACY / SAW FILER / 458
HUDSON ST / NEW-YORK - on 1805
two reales

The most interesting thing about this counterstamp is the nature of the issuer's business. The more desirable counterstamps are those with not only the merchant's name, but also his occupation and address.





Immune Columbia, 1785, silver. Frossard list, 9/19/83, "American" section.

England, Oliver Cromwell, 1658, Crown (obverse). Frossard list, 9/19/83, "American" section.



sale at Bangs & Co., then come in quick succession the Britton and Smith sales. [For which Frossard had clients' bids to enter, we may presume.]

"The small package of American coins sent you on approval were not my property, and the prices were not fixed by me. I agree that most of them were too high, and some I did not send at all because they were altogether too high. As regards the *Immune Columbia* in silver, the only one I believe of the lot you kept for further examination, I do not think that the price is too high, as the owner invoiced it to me at less than cost. It is the finest and, I believe, the only strictly fine impression known and originally came to me from the Le Gras Cabinet invoiced at 500 francs, but of course I did not pay that much for it. If the piece pleases you, you may retain it at \$60.— which is its cost to me, or what I have to pay the owner in case of sale. The other coins from stock I marked at as low rates as cost would warrant; if there are any among those returned that you

would like at slightly lower rates, please specify the nos. and if I can possibly make reductions I will do so, but fine coins have gone up so that I really marked, as I stated, very close and the reductions would be slight. I am, Sir (in haste) very respectfully yours, Ed Frossard."

Here we find Garrett haggling over prices just as he was noted for doing with Newlin, and with the usual result: success. In addition to being a fine numismatist he was an excellent horse-trader throughout his career. He managed to secure some remarkable pieces from this list at very reasonable prices (even for those days), though his best deals with Frossard are yet to come. The pieces selected illustrate the breadth of his collecting interests at this time, embracing most of the European issues as well as American Colonials. As late as 1883 he was still trying to collect pretty much everything, though he decided later to concentrate more on his American material.

(To be continued next month)

*243. Sweden, Gustavus Vasa, 1544, dollar, fine, rare	\$6.00
*247. Gustavus Adolphus, 1634, mortuary ducat [gold]	\$5.50
*249. Christina, dollar, 1642	\$2.50
261. Russia, Catherine, ruble	\$2.00
*264. Elisabeth, ruble	\$1.00
266. Nicholas, 12 rubles <u>platina</u>	\$18.00
"Papal:	
275. Urban VIII, rev. St. Michael	\$4.50
*279. Clemens X, 1675, jubilee scudo	\$3.00
*280. Innocent XI, rev. Dexter, etc.	\$3.00
*283. Alexander VIII, 1690, scudo	\$3.50
*284. Innocent XII, 1699, rev. Children of Israel collecting manna	\$3.50
286. Clemens XI, rev. Pantheon, 1/2 scudo	\$2.00
*288. Benedict XIII, 1754, scudo	\$2.50
*290. Sede Vacante, 1829	\$2.50
*291. Sede Vacante, 1829, 1/2 scudo	\$1.50
*292. Leo XII, 1825, scudo	\$3.00
312. England. George I, 2 German crowns (one with bull rare)	\$3.00
the other with "wild man"	\$2.00
*307. Mary, mortuary, 1695	\$8.00
*311. Anne & Wm. Charles of Orange	\$5.50
*315. George IV, coronation [gold]	\$8.00
*316. Fox (statesman), <u>rare</u>	\$10.00
*326. Swiss shooting thaler, Geneva, 1879, <u>rare</u> though recent	\$5.00
*347. Helvetic Republic	\$3.00
*353. Fribourg, 1/2 crown, <u>rare</u>	\$2.00
*364. Zurich, 1761, dollar	\$2.50
[Total for whole list, \$843.00]	

"I have marked all these coins very close, but if you take not less than \$200 I will allow 5% off on any, gold & silver, and that is the very best I can do.

"On other side please find list of a few American - these are net without discount.

"Hoping that you will find many things wanted in this fine and extensive selection, I am, very respectfully, Ed Frossard."

On the back we find:

"Silver Immune Columbia, 1785. This specimen I believe to be the finest one known as Parmelee wanted to exchange for his & give something in the trade. I got this from Le Gras Collection about 18 mo. ago - sold it to a gentleman at \$70. He now relinquishes Colonial Coins for American Medals & I got it back. -

Rosa Americana twopence without date, uncir.

Rosa Americana penny 1722, uncir.

Rosa Americana penny 1723, v. fine

Rosa Americana half penny 1722, uncir. (The last is the "Ameri" variety, rarer than 1793 "Ameri" Cent.)

Oliver Cromwell crown

Oliver Cromwell shilling

Commonwealth shilling, very high I think but unusually fine

William & Mary Crown, 1692

\$153.00"

Garrett eventually purchased 83 pieces from the main list of foreign coins and medals of the Colonials (Silver Immune and the Cromwell crown). Underlined numbers are among the pieces purchased. Further negotiations with Frossard were necessary before the sale was complete, however. We see

them in progress in the next couple of letters.

In a hurried note of January 26, 1883, we also see something of the schedule of a part-time dealer during the busy season: "I fear that if I do not reply to your favor at once, some time will elapse before I can do so. Tomorrow I have a



Sweden, Gustavus Adolphus, 1634, Mortuary Ducat (reverse). Frossard list, 9/19/83, #247.



George III, 1776, Ducat, Harz gold (reverse). Frossard list, 9/19/83, #82a.



Switzerland, Zurich, 1761, "Dollar" (reverse). Frossard list, 9/19/83, #364.



Papal, Innocent XII, 1699, Scudo, Children of Israel Collecting Manna (reverse). Frossard list, 9/19/83, #284.

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|---|---------|
| 87. Saxony, John George II, double crown | \$5.00 |
| * 90. Brunswick, Charles Louis, 1664, decuple (10) crowns | \$45.00 |
| * 91. The same, 1650, 5 crowns | \$20.00 |
| * 92. Henry Julius, 1609, Bishop of Halberstadt, 5 crowns | \$25.00 |
| * 94. George William, 1660, 5 crowns, <u>rarissima</u> | \$30.00 |
| * 98. Aug. Fred., 1676, Biographical triple crown, <u>very rare</u> | \$17.50 |
| * 99. Christian Louis, 1648, triple crown, <u>cheap</u> | \$10.00 |
| 101. Fred. Ulrich, double mine collar of St. Jacob, 1625 | \$10.00 |
| *106. Munster, Anabaptists' double crown | \$6.00 |
| 107. Philip II (Spain), double crown, very rare | \$15.00 |
| *108. Philip IV, 1648, quadruple crown, very fine for this thick type | \$18.00 |
| *109. Philip IV, Netherlands, 1660, double crown | \$6.50 |
| *110. Utrecht, 1772, double crown | \$6.00 |
| *111. Dordrecht, 1619, religious synod, 2 1/2 dollars | \$10.00 |
| *113. Genoa, 1692, double dobra | \$9.50 |
| *115. Lot: 7 modern German double thalers (selections at \$2.50) | \$15.00 |
| 223. Brisach, siege dollar, 1683 | \$3.00 |
| *225. Belgian revolutionary dollar, 1790 | \$2.50 |
| *226. Scudo, Roman Republic, 1797 | \$3.00 |
| 228. Fulda, Contribution 1/2 crown, 1796 | \$1.50 |
| *232. Barcelona, siege [probably 5 pesetas] | \$2.75 |
| 233. Zirickzee, Zeeland, besieged by the Dutch, 1576, rare siege dollar | \$5.00 |
| 234. Zacatecas, Mexico, 1/4 dollar | \$2.00 |
| 238. Mansfeld Luck Dollar | \$3.50 |

taining more than one coin. "I regret delay in replying to your favors. 3 catalogues of coin sales to prepare, Numisma for January, besides 4 or 5 hours each day devoted to my ordinary occupation as a teacher have completely filled up my time. I have nothing or next to nothing in cents at present (except my set of 1794 cents, not for sale), but add to

lots forwarded this day from New York, Adams Express, a few very rare and fine Colonial Coins. My descriptions are necessarily short, but I hope sufficiently intelligible to locate each coin. [Following is an extract from that massive list which totaled \$843 in addition to \$153 for the Colonials and some British pieces.]



Florence, early Ducat.
Frossard list,
January 19, 1883, #70.

"Luther pieces:

* 29. Saxony, 1630, double ducat	\$9.50
* 31. Saxony, 1630, dollar	\$2.50
* 34. Huss & Luther crown, very rare	\$5.50
* 36. Harmstadt, Jubilee dollar	\$3.50
39. Luther medal, reverse 4 boys	\$2.25
40. Schweinfurt (Swinford Jubilee)	\$1.00
* 43. Augsburg, broad dollar, Jubilee	\$3.50
* 46. Hamburg, 1755, CC religious piece, 5 ducats	\$20.00
* 48. Ratisbonne, 1755 Jubilee	\$1.75
53. Geneva	\$0.75

"Coins, Germany, etc., gold:

* 54. Austria, 1589, ducat	\$4.00
* 56. Hungary, Wadislau, ducat, 1512	\$4.00
* 57. Hungary, Louis II, 1520 (slain by Turks at Mohart)	\$4.50
* 58. Transylvania, Michael Apogy, 1688	\$5.00
* 60. Pfaltz, Richard, 1579 [We may assume coins are ducats.]	\$4.50
61. Nordlingen, Bavaria, 1491	\$4.50
* 62. Utrecht, 1597	\$4.00
* 63. Flanders, Louis le Male (1346), helmeted lion	\$9.00

"Spain:

* 65. Philip IV, 1646, 3 ducats	\$12.50
67. Phillip II, double, struck in Milan	\$8.00
* 68. Pope Julius II, 1503, ducat	\$5.50
* 69. Leo X Medici, Arms Medici, rev. ST. Peter in boat - <u>rare</u>	\$10.00
* 70. Florence, earliest ducat	\$4.00
73. Savoy, 1608, ducat	\$4.00
* 74. Malta, Jean de la Valette (1557)	\$7.00
76. Persia, type of lion	\$4.00
77. Ancient British, 1/4 <u>stater</u> , bust, rev. Pegasus	\$4.00
78. England, Henry V, golden angel - <u>rarissima</u>	\$20.00
* 79. Henry VI, angelot	\$8.00
* 80. Henry VI, salut for France	\$7.50
* 82a. George III, Harz ducat, 1776	\$3.75

"Silver:

* 83. Austria, Leopold I, double crown	\$4.50
* 84. Austria, Charles VI, double crown	\$4.50

1229.	George II, 1746, mining crown, Regenbogen Grube	\$5
1230.	Bavaria, Maximilian I, 1626, double crown, Madonna and Child/arms	\$5.50
1242.	Brandenburg, John Casimir & John Ernest, 1580, crown	\$2.75
1244.	Frederick William & John, 1581, crown	\$2.75
1248.	John George & Augustus, 1615, quadruple crown, 5/16 inch thick	\$14
1250.	John George, 1630, Reformation Jubilee crown with bust of John and date 1530 on reverse	\$3
1257.	Transylvania, Sigismund Bathori, 1591, crown	\$3.50
1258.	George Rakodzy, 1656, crown	\$3
1259.	Augsburg, 1740, double crown, Charles VI/arms supported by river god and nymphs, "proof"	\$8
1263.	Hamburg, 1730, Jubilee crown	\$3.50
1267.	Salzburg, 1593, triple crown, Necessity piece, Bishop/Temple on rock in sea amidst tempest, RESISTIT; struck to pay troops against the Turks; square	\$12
1269.	Salzburg, 1628, half crown, to commemorate completion of cathedral	\$1.25
1271.	Denmark, Christian IV, (1600), half length armored bust/ knight on horse surrounded by 14 shields, double crown	\$10
1272.	Christian V and Frederic IV, (1699), mortuary and succession double crown, bust on each side	\$6
1278.	Sweden, Christina, 1643, crown, bust/Salvator Mundi, etc.	\$3
1280.	Charles Gustavus, 1660, mortuary 4 Marks, inscription and seven arms holding naked swords	\$2.75
1281.	Frederic, 1721, Reformation Jubilee crown, bust/ busts in ovals of Gustavus I Vasa and Gustavus Adolphus	\$3.50
1284.	Poland, Sigismund III, 1629, crown	\$2.75
1304.	Genoa, Conrad II, 1634, double crown of dobla, "giblet, crowned, supported by two griffins"	\$8
Total \$292.00 less 7 1/2% = net \$270.10. [In margin, 1195 \$5. less 7 1/2% 0.38 = \$4.62].		
Total net		\$364.43
		-4.62
retained		\$359.81

"If everything is satisfactory, etc., kindly remit me per draft for above amount and oblige P.S. You returned two packages, coins contained in them struck from list; but as soon as received they went elsewhere. I have received a large number of orders on all the coins advertised in Numisma which I could not fill as there were no duplicates . . ." The bill is stamped PAID and dated Oct. 10, 1882, signed by Frossard.

Garrett purchased some superb pieces from this huge shipment, though he returned others of equal rarity and importance, including a Brunswick quintuple crown of Henry Julius, 1609, and a 1666 sextuple crown of Augustus. We should note two things throughout this period of the correspondence: first, the strong and active Frossard market was serving through his price lists in Numisma which seems to have been filling a real void in the numismatic field; and second, the total absence of grading information in the correspondence

which seems to show the assumption on both sides that such information was unnecessary between competent numismatists. Garrett seems to have turned down both the proof 1836 half dollar and the extremely rare 1838-O half, probably because of price considerations. Neither of the Garretts ever acquired that great rarity.

Our next letter is dated January 4, 1883: "In a few days I shall receive a fine invoice of large and beautiful coins and as soon as at hand will forward you a number for selection. In American gold series I may have what you want? I mention as in stock a \$50 round Calif., a 2 1/2 and 5 Bechtler, 1796 Eagle and Half Eagle, etc.

"Thanking you for past favors and with usual compliments of the Season . . ."

On January 19th he sent the selection mentioned above, accompanied by a letter and a list of coins on approval, 145 numbered lots, several of them con-

Garrett ordered 94 on approval! Frossard's letter contains only a list of the numbers and prices, but we can reconstruct the entire list from that issue. In view of the size of the list, however, we might note that the order was entirely for foreign coins and medals and ancient coins. Only those

pieces Garrett kept are contained in the next letter, dated October 2. (The descriptions are added from *Numisma*; Frossard again listed only numbers and prices in this summary of Garrett's account.)

"The following is the list of lots retained by you: GOLD:



England, Commonwealth, 1653, Twenty Shillings or Pound. Ex Numisma September, 1882, #1161.

- 1161. England, Commonwealth, 1653, 20 Shillings or Pound \$20
- 1162. George III, 1802, Harz ducat \$3.50
- 1174. Genoa, 1595, double zecchino of Matteo Senarego \$10
- 1175. Austria, Rudolph II, 1584, ducat \$3.75
- 1177. Francis II, gold war medal the size of 10 ducats, 1797, Den tapfern Vertheidigern des Vaterlandes, 'unique' \$35
- 1180. Munster, triple ducat on the Peace of Munster, Ehr sei Gott in der Hohe . . . \$12.50
- 1184. Salzburg, 1591, double ducat of Wolfgang Theodore \$7
- 1185. Silesia, 1544, ducat struck at Munsterburg \$5
- Total \$96.75 less 2 1/2% net \$94.33

SILVER:

- 1195. Austria, Ferdinand I, crown, 1556, Infans Hispaniae, etc. \$5 X [Garrett decided later to return it.]
- 1198. Ferdinand, Archduke (1564-1595), double crown \$5
- 1205. Rudolph II, 1604, double crown \$5
- 1207. Leopold, Hognouth, 1675, broad double crown \$5.50
- 1208. Brunswick, Julius, 1576, quintuple (5) crown, bust surrounded by four circles with Zodiac signs/ arms surrounded by four circles with Zodiac signs \$37.50 'First issue of the large Brunswick coins and struck at Heinrichstadt, where each burgher was ordered to purchase one, to be kept in case of war, famine or public catastrophe.'
- 1216. Augustus, 1655, quintuple crown, Duke on horseback/arms \$24
- 1217. Christian Louis, 1654, triple crown, flying horse over city/crowned CL in monogram surrounded by 14 shields \$11
- 1219. Christian Louis, 1664, quintuple crown, flying horse over a mine, reverse same as last \$20
- 1220. Christian Louis, 1664, triple crown, same types as last \$10
- 1221. Christian Louis, 1665, triple crown, wild man with tree in right hand, reverse same as last \$15
- 1224. John Frederic, 1672, double crown, horse over mine / crowned F surrounded by 14 shields \$7.50
- 1225. Rudolph Augustus, 1679, double crown, rider to left/ ornamental shield, Remigo Altissimi \$8.50 [For those interested in the grading used in earlier days, this is listed as "Sharp, nearly proof."]
- 1227. Rudolph Augustus, 1685, quintuple crown, genius with lyre, foot on snail, sun above, mining scene behind/ arms \$30
- 1228. Double baptismal crown without name of the Duke, struck at Clausenthal about 1700: baptismal scene of Christ in the Jordan, long inscription on border and a baptismal prayer in German text on reverse, ducal counterstamp \$7.50

originals). Number 8 and #9 might be debated but, in view of Garrett's later (1884) purchase of two 1839 half dollar patterns from Frossard's own collection these are probably Judd 99 and 95 respectively, both R.8. Number 10, assuming that the patterns offered here are in their correct metal, should be Judd 235, Seated Liberty with shield and fasces. Number 11, a three-piece lot of 1859 pattern half dollars, probably consisted of the three basic Longacre types, Judd 237, 239 and 241.

Number 12 in the list, two halves of 1861 differing in the placement of the motto, must be Judd 277 & 279, the only two pattern halves of the year. The same reasoning applies to #13, Judd 293 & 295, and to #14, Judd 338 & 340. Number 15 on the list, however, presents a slight problem since there were not three pattern halves issued in 1864. As Frossard was simply using ditto marks in the left margin of his list for the denominations, we may safely assume that he ran them too far down the page in this and the remaining cases. The three varieties in this lot were probably Judd 384, 391 and 396, the quarter, half and dollar with the 1866 reverse die. The same general comments would also apply to #16, which, like #15, Garrett returned to Frossard. Number 17, the pattern half of 1872, has to be the Barber Amazonian, Judd 1200, the only pattern half of that year, recognized even then (from the price asked) as rare.

Lot #18, the Barber set of 1870, 5 pieces not including the 3¢, is the series with the Seated Liberty obverse and regular reverse, Judd 815, 832, 883, 934 and 1003, half dime through dollar. Oddly enough, we now know that the missing 3¢ silver was issued in silver — Judd 796 and 797! The Longacre 1871 set, #19, 5 pieces, must be Judd 1068, 1084, 1099, 1114 and 1146, the types (again) with the regular die reverse. (In the case of both 1870 and 1871, other possible choices are ruled out due to known sources for the other pieces in Garrett's collection.) Either set would rank as R.7 today.

Garrett acquired some beautiful and extremely rare pieces from this first recorded private transaction with

Frossard. (It is curious that neither T. Harrison Garrett nor his son John ever acquired the missing two Amazonian pieces, the quarter and dollar.) The following pieces from the above list may be found in the 1975 Stack's Catalogue of the Garrett Sale: Judd 84, 239, 241, 279, 293, 295, 338, 934 and 1146.

As was the case with Newlin's letters, there are chronological breaks in the Frossard correspondence, most noticeable during the summers while the Garretts were on vacation. Such a gap occurs at this point, and the next letter in the file was not written until September 11, 1882. *"Your telegram reached here this P.M. and in compliance with your request I send tomorrow A.M. a package containing the major part of the rare coins advertised in Sept. 'Numisma.' Since the orders are coming in I will ask you as a personal favor to return as soon as you possibly can such coins as you may not wish to purchase. Make up a package of those you know you shall not want and return at once; those you wish to think about, etc., keep not over 3 or 4 days, & by so doing you will greatly oblige me. I never wish to press my customers but in this instance the orders will come in every day and each expects to receive whatever he orders without delay.*

"I add the rare 1838-O Half advertised in July Numisma and '36 Proof Half. These you can retain as long as you please. —

"Under the supposition that you may make a pretty large selection I will offer you a concession of 21/2% off the gold if you take \$100 or more, of 5% on the silver if you take \$100 worth, and of 7 1/2% off (on the silver) if you take \$250 or more.

"I will state that it would be difficult to duplicate a large number of the coins sent, even abroad. The large pieces all came from a small collection abroad bought entire by me and made by a gentleman who collected only from and over the double crown size, and he was a long time in forming this collection . . ."

Of the 159 pieces offered in the September, 1882, issue of *Numisma*,

am in receipt of your favor of 5th Inst. and hasten to reply to catch P.M. mail which closes in a few minutes. No.3 \$45; No.4 \$6; #5 \$6; #6 \$40; #7 \$40; #10 \$3; #11 \$7.50; #12 \$30; #13 \$10; #14 \$10; #17 \$10; #18 \$35; #19 \$35; total \$277.50. I suppose that some are marked rather high, others I think low, considering their rarity, etc.

"As far as I know Nos. 18 & 19 are complete. I am aware that a similar piece of 3c value was issued, but as far as I know it was only issued as an essay and not in the metal in which designed to be current. [Note this statement: Frossard did not regard pieces — obviously patterns — as valid unless issued in the proper metal. We noted a similar situa-

tion in Newlin's views. This is a distinct aid in determining the Judd numbers of certain pieces.]

"I can only make a concession of 5% on the lists as arranged by you.

\$277.50

-13.88

\$263.62

Which you can send me per cheque on N.Y. and balance of coins here per Express." The list follows, perhaps sent at an earlier date with the actual coins: "List on approval at these prices. \$225 to be taken from total [apparently for pieces Garrett had returned or sold to Frossard - we do not know which].

1. Dollar 1836, Gobrecht on base \$15
2. Dollar 1836, Gobrecht in field \$45 'Tarnished.'
3. Dollar 1838, rev. starless \$45
4. Half 1838, head Lib. to 1., rev. flying eagle \$6
5. Half 1838, same obv., rev. eagle with extended wings \$6
6. Half 1838, Lib. seated, rev. flying eagle \$40
7. Half 1838, Lib. seated, rev. same as 5 \$40
8. Half 1839, Regular obv., rev. same as 5 \$60
9. Half 1839, Head of Liberty, rev. of regular series \$75
10. Half 1859, Paquet half dollar \$3
11. Half 1859, 3 varieties, the lot \$7.50
12. Half 1861 God Our Trust (on label and field) 2 for \$30
13. Half 1862, same 2 for \$10
14. Half 1863, same 2 for \$10
15. Half 1864 3 varieties 3 for \$4
16. Half 1870 3 varieties 3 for \$4
17. Half 1872 Pattern Half \$10
18. 1870, Barber's design, 5 for \$35 'Should be 6 - (3p).'
19. 1871, Longacre's design, 5 for \$35
- Total \$480. The lot for \$450."

Of these Garrett kept #3-7, 10-14, and 17-19, the same ones Frossard quoted prices upon in the text of his letter — perhaps Garrett had been seeking a price reduction on these pieces?

(Due to the tremendous number of coins involved in Garrett's dealings with Frossard and to the extended time involved in transactions which often left Garrett holding sections of several lists for months and then paying for his purchases in a block, we will probably find it more convenient to discuss coins as they are shipped and inventoried by Frossard rather than when paid for.)

This first selection of pieces sent to Garrett by Frossard shows an interest in U.S. pattern coins, one which, after a

period of dormancy, was to be rekindled by Newlin during 1885 and which would culminate in Garrett's extensive purchases of patterns from the Maris Sale in 1886. Although it might be interesting and instructive to leave reconstruction of the Judd numbers of these lots to the reader, with the exception of #18 and #19 which require external information, dictates of treatment require brief discussions of some of them. Number 3 is clearly Judd 84, the Gobrecht dollar for 1838. Number 4 must be the Kneass design, Judd 73, while # 5 is the Kneass design, Judd 72. Numbers 6 and 7 are, respectively, Judd 79 and Judd 76, both R.7 pieces even in restrrike (and these are probably

In the course of his research Carl W.A. Carlson has uncovered material which reveals the fascinating world of numismatics in the late 1800's as seen through the correspondence of famed numismatists of the day. This article is the second in a series which has come from his research. The first article, "Newlin and Garrett," was published in *The Numismatist*, February, 1976, p. 263 and March, 1976, p. 499.

Most of this material was studied while Carlson was Curator of Numismatics at The Johns Hopkins University, a position he left in early 1976 to join the staff of Paramount International Coin Corporation. Just recently he announced that he will again be changing positions, joining NASCA, Inc. in Stamford, Connecticut and fulfilling a long time desire to live in New England.



Salzburg, Sigismund of Schrattenbach, 1766, 1/4 Thaler (reverse). Ex Frossard's 20th Sale, 4/1/82.



Wurzburg & Bamberg, Francis Louis, 1786, Double Thaler. Ex Frossard's 20th Sale, 4/1/82.



Eichstadt, Sede Vacante, 1790, Double Thaler (reverse). Ex Frossard's 20th Sale, 4/1/82.

Our correspondence files in the case of Frossard are more incomplete than was the case with the Newlin letters, and once again we have none of Garrett's side of the exchange so we must reconstruct it from Frossard's references. Indeed, the first letter in the file begins in *mediis rebus* since it is an answer to a letter from Garrett requesting certain coins and apparently asking about their prices. An unfortunate aspect of this correspondence is that Frossard, always pressed for time, often sent shipments of coins to Garrett

simply listed as "described on envelopes," accompanied by a list of envelope numbers and prices. When these lists are the numbers of items appearing in *Numisma* reconstruction is possible; when they are simply invoice numbers on large groups of coins Frossard was handling, we are sometimes at a loss.

Frossard's first letter, dated May 6, 1882, may be taken as a sample of the type of lists he often employed, though we are fortunate in this case since he also included a detailed listing of pieces. "I

Garrett's collecting career began around 1876, the same time that Frossard began publication of the numismatic newsletter, *Numisma*, and continued until his death in 1888. Frossard's career went on for another decade, ending with his death in 1898. Frossard's contacts with Europe were excellent and although he is best remembered for his books on United States Cents and Half Cents, his price lists in *Numisma* featured extensive selections of rare foreign gold and silver as well as Greek and Roman coins. As his correspondence with Garrett unfolds, he can be seen operating in these varied fields.

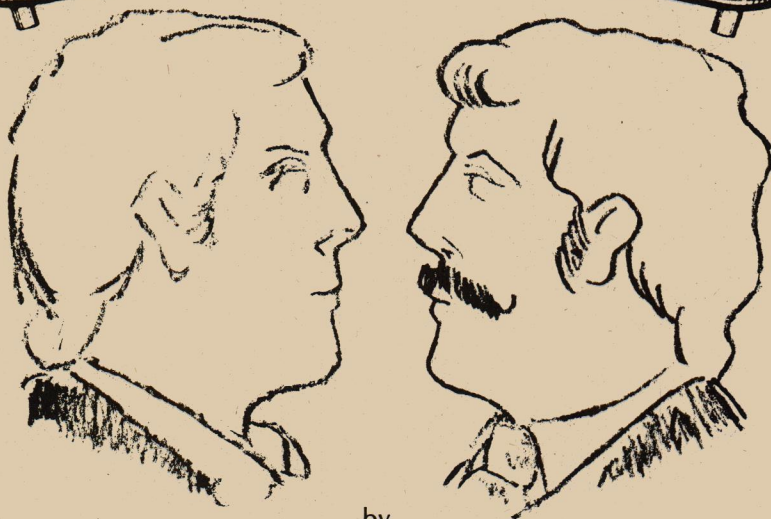
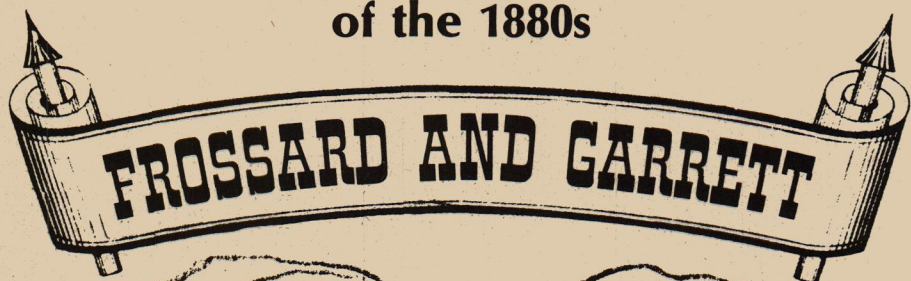
We do not know the date of Garrett's first contact with Frossard, but it is certain that he entered successful bids in Frossard's 17th Auction, held on December 8, 1881. Among the pieces Garrett acquired in that sale are a double thaler of John George and Augustus of Saxony, 1603; a Swiss 5 franc shooting thaler from Schwyz, 1867; two 1839 U.S. half dollar patterns (Judd 97 and Judd 99); a 1796 Castorland original in copper, thick flan, reeded edge; and an 1853 U.S. Assay Office \$20, 900 thous., from the California series. Garrett also bid successfully in Frossard's 20th Auction, April 1, 1882, acquiring an impressive list of pieces:

Switzerland, Lucerne, 1622 thaler
Denmark, Christian IV, 1645 2 marks
Denmark & Norway, Frederick IV, 1699-1730, thaler made from 2 obverses.
Sweden, Christina, thalers of 1644 and 1646
Bohemia, Louis I, 1516-1526, thalers of two designs
Bohemia, Ferdinand I, 1649 thaler
Transylvania, Gabriel Bethlen, 1621 thaler
Deventer-Campen-Zwolle, 1555, Carolus crown
Salzburg, Michael of Kuenburg, 1558 crown
Salzburg, Francis Anton, Prince of Harrach, 1710 crown
Salzburg, Sigismund of Schrattenbach, 1760 crown
Salzburg, Sigismund of Schrattenbach, 1766 1/4 thaler, Mint scene
Salzburg, Ferdinand, 1806 thaler
Austria, Ferdinand I, thalers of 1558, 1558, 1561, 1564
Austria, Maximilian II, thalers of 1567, 1573, 1575
Austria, Rudolph II, thalers of 1580, 1584
Austria, Ferdinand II, 1623 double thaler
Eichstadt, Sede Vacante, 1790 double thaler
Saxony, George, 1530 thaler
Saxony, John Frederick & Henry, 1539 thaler
Saxony, John Frederick & Maurice, 1542 thaler
Saxony, Augustus, thalers of 1559, 1561, 1571
Saxony, Christian, 1587 thaler
Saxe-Alt Gotha - Coburg & Eisenach, John Casimir & John Ernest, 1582 thaler
Wurzburg & Bamberg, Francis Louis, 1786 double thaler
and perhaps others, later disposed of.



1853,
U.S. Assay Office,
\$20. Ex Frossard's
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**A
Historical Study
of the Relationship Between a
Semi-Professional Dealer and a
Major Collector
of the 1880s**

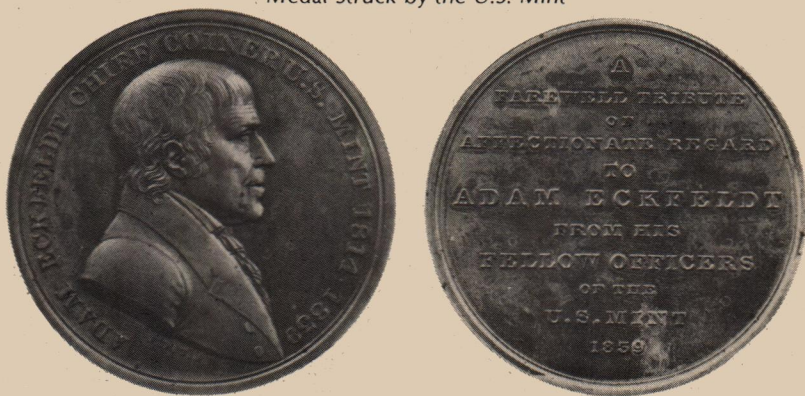


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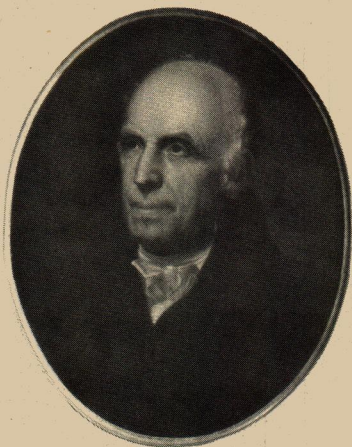
Carl W.A. Carlson, NLG

Civil War veteran, numismatic scholar, auction cataloguer, school teacher, editor and publisher of *Numisma* — these are but a few of the professions which claimed Edouard Frossard during his lifetime. Residing in Irvington, New York in the 1880's, Frossard played a major role in the numismatics of the period and particularly in the formation of the coin collection of T. Harrison Garrett of Baltimore, one of the world's outstanding collections. Significant portions of Frossard's correspondence with Garrett have survived the years and shed some light on the activities of a semi-professional dealer of the period along with the history and pedigrees of many important coins which are still part of the Garrett collection at Johns Hopkins University.

Adam Eckfeldt
Chief Coiner
February, 1814—February, 1839
Medal Struck by the U.S. Mint

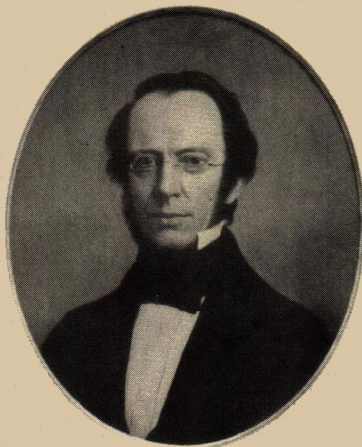


16. *Absolutely not.* Assistant Treasurers of the U.S. at St. Louis and Chicago were stamping some gold and silver coins with an "L" in the 1890's but this was strictly an unofficial act on their parts. It may be stated categorically that the U.S. Mint never counterstamped any coin that it released for circulation.
17. *No.* Records show that all were released. The answer to the rarity of the 1811 is simply that part of the 63,000 pieces coined in 1811 were dated 1810.
18. *Only partly true.* There were some special sets of coins prepared as presents for foreigners, but this was a fairly rare happening. Most of the proof coins struck since 1817 in this country were for our own collectors. Such pieces were made at the whim of the chief coiner and are not known for all denominations and years prior to the start of regular proof coinage in early 1860.
19. *Quite possibly true.* The curator of the mint collection, W.E. DuBois, made this charge as early as the 1860's and must have heard it from persons — such as Adam Eckfeldt — who were at the mint in 1807.
20. *True.* In fact, not only were the known proofs struck early in 1922 for high-ranking collectors, but there was also a hitherto unknown coinage of the regular issue Peace dollars in high relief at the same time. The latter, however, were all melted and not released.
21. *Oddly enough, this is true.* On June 20, 1902, the coiner's silver ledger recorded the striking of \$241.75 (967 pieces) worth of "quarter dollar Porta Rican." If one subtracts the proof coinage of 1902 from the regular mint figure for the quarter dollar, then one arrives at the odd amount of 967 pieces over an even number. It is unknown at present just what this means.
22. *True.* It was intended to replace the five cent nickel coins with the silver half dimes as soon as it was possible, but the mint law of 1873 did away with the silver half dime instead.



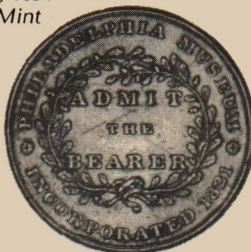
Robert Patterson
Fourth Director of the Mint
July, 1805—July, 1824

Colonel James Ross Snowden
Ninth Director of the Mint
June, 1853—May, 1861

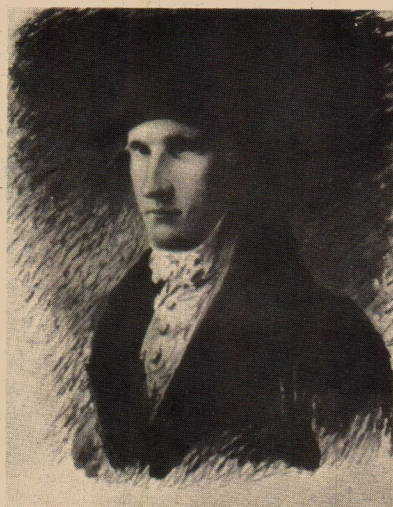


12. *False.* Cent coinage was halted in early 1877, as nickel five cent coinage had been stopped in 1876, because the sub-treasuries of the country were clogged with the coins and the mint law of 1873 specified that the Secretary of the Treasury had the right to interdict coinage under these circumstances. Coinage for both denominations resumed in 1878.
13. *Very unlikely.* Given that the average daily wage in this country prior to 1850 was well under two dollars, the gift of a gold coin or even of silver was a major gift. Superb pieces (i.e. not proofs) of the early years come, usually, from one of two sources. First, a person could simply go to the mint and ask for a nice specimen of a particular denomination; this could have been obtained for face value since very few persons bothered the mint in those days. On occasion a collector could even obtain proofs for face value. The second avenue way to obtain fine coins was to go to the nearest bank and search through a bag of new coinage until he found a select specimen. As a matter of fact, many collectors use the second method even today.
14. *Apparently true,* but the proper meaning for treaty is something that is done between states (nations) and not individuals. This use of the term is confined by the Constitution which prohibits Americans from having treaties with foreign nations. The private treaty is just a fancy way of saying private sale and ought to be relegated to the dustbin. It makes about as much sense as looks uncirculated or MS-70+ that have been seen in some dealer's ads. If coins can be sold by private treaty, then perhaps someone can explain what a sale by public treaty might involve.
15. *No.* Mint records show that all were released to private depositors. If of undue rarity for their mintage, it must be for some other reason besides that.

Franklin Peale
Chief Coiner
February, 1839—December, 1854
Medal struck by the U.S. Mint



6. *Probably false.* Longacre was somewhat unskilled at engraving in the 1840's, but it is a near certainty that many — or perhaps most — of the blundered dies were the product of Chief Coiner Franklin Peale's department. Peale had control of most of the working punches during this period and his workmen produced a large proportion of the working dies. It was not until mid-1854 that Longacre was able to regain the prerogatives of his own department. The firing of Peale by President Pierce in December, 1854, completed the exchange of power.
7. *Very unlikely,* although this has appeared in print from time to time. It is more probable that a carelessly struck piece was included by accident. There was so little profit on these early proofs to the mint that such a substitution would have been almost meaningless.
8. *True,* but they were actually unpopular far before 1857. There exist, in the archives, a number of letters from collectors of the 1850's indicating that they had not seen a half cent in circulation for many years. One person even wrote that he had never seen one in use.
9. *On the whole, no.* St. Gaudens did not understand, or did not care about, the need for coinage designs in very low relief so that the pieces would strike up properly under ordinary coining conditions. It is true, however, that the mint engraving staff could have been more cooperative in the whole matter.
10. *Absolutely not.* Patterns of the same design had first appeared in 1881 and the three cent nickel coin, introduced in 1865, did not have the word CENTS either.
11. *Just a fable, unfortunately.* At least one writer has stated that Longacre used the head of a classical statue for his inspiration. In addition, the heads on several of Longacre's coins are the same: double eagle, three cent nickel, and the gold dollar.



James B. Longacre
Fifth Chief Engraver
September, 1844—January, 1869

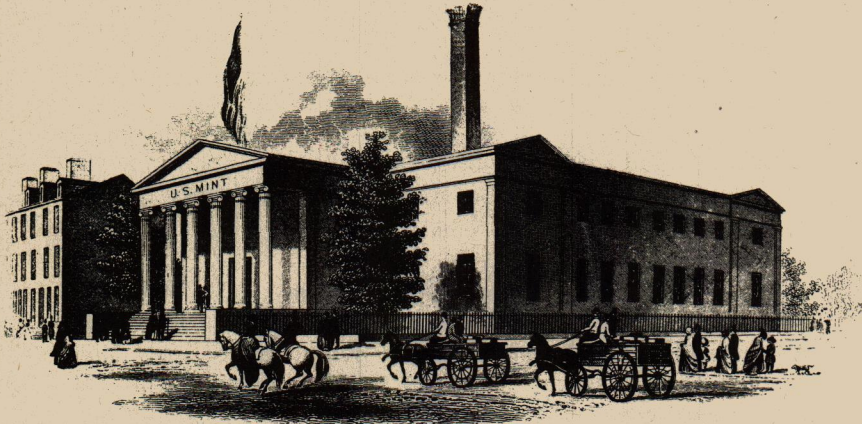
The Answers

1. *Hardly.* There was some hard liquor, mostly rum, brought to the mint during the years from 1792 to 1794, but after that only beer was delivered. As late as 1815 this was still being done. The alcoholic beverages were intended solely for men working in the assaying department.
2. *False.* The early American copper circulated because it was of good copper and had a relatively heavy weight. At times, when the price of copper was low or there were too many pieces in circulation, the cents and half cents often circulated at a strong discount. Even as late as the 1840's, merchants who received large number of coppers had to take discounts ranging up to five per cent to exchange such pieces for silver or gold coins. It was not until 1857, when the cent was given legal tender status, that the government stamp meant anything.
3. *False.* The first meeting came on March 20, 1797, more than two years after the first coinage of the precious metals. The precise reason for the delay is not known.
4. *False.* There was a coinage of cents in 1815, but they were probably dated 1816. After the War of 1812 ended in early 1815, Mint Director Robert Patterson lost no time in ordering a fresh supply of ready-made copper cent planchets from Matthew R. Boulton in England. These arrived in mid-December, 1815, and coinage commenced immediately. It is, of course, possible that dies of 1814 were used but 1816 is the more likely date.
5. *True,* at least those meant for circulation. It is possible that a few proof cents were actually struck in 1823, but even that is debatable. The 1823 business strikes were actually struck in 1824. The figure sometimes seen for the 1823 cent coinage, some 855,000 pieces, was fabricated by the Mint Director James Ross Snowden in the late 1850's for his work on American coinage.

For some years the author has been gathering odd examples of what might be called *fables* about our coinage. Upon investigation some of these have proven false, others true, and some defy resolution. In this short article are gathered together several such items so that the reader might test his knowledge against the force of tradition. In a few cases, however, the author has chosen facts — or what appear to be facts — from the mint archives with a suitably challenging statement. The statements will appear first and the answers, with explanations, will follow.

True or False?

1. There was a large supply of liquor for the workers in the early mint and for this reason some of the coins and dies were badly made.
2. It was the government stamp which circulated the copper cent and half cent and not the intrinsic value.
3. The United States Assay Commission first met in 1792.
4. There was no coinage of cents in 1815.
5. There was no coinage of cents in 1823.
6. The die blunders of the 1840's and early 1850's were the result of James B. Longacre (the chief engraver) being unskilled at his job.
7. Uncirculated coins were sometimes substituted for proof coins in the sets sent out for collectors by mint authorities.
8. Half cents were not coined after 1857 because of their unpopularity.
9. The St. Gauden's design for the double eagle was sabotaged by the mint engraving staff.
10. The five cent nickels of 1883 without the word CENTS were an error.
11. The Indian Head cent was modelled after Longacre's nine-year old daughter.
12. Cent coinage was halted in 1877 because the government was considering a cent made out of nickel or copper-nickel.
13. Presentation sets and individual presentation coins were rather commonly given out at the early mint.
14. Coins are sold by private treaty.
15. The 1861-S Paquet double eagles were mostly remelted at the mint and thus never released to circulation.
16. An 'L' was stamped on coins at the mint to indicate their being underweight.
17. The 1811 half cents were partly melted at the mint, accounting for their rarity.
18. Early proofs were struck for presentation to government officials and foreign heads of state.
19. John Reich put his "fat mistress" on the half dollar of 1807-1836.
20. High relief Peace dollars were struck in 1922.
21. The Philadelphia Mint struck quarter dollars for Puerto Rico.
22. The five cent nickel of 1866 was intended to be only a temporary coin.



IS IT TRUE THAT...



by
R.W. Julian
ANA 29732

From Your President

Grover C. Criswell

ON TO COLORADO

As I write this column for the February *Numismatist*, I am amazed at the large number of people who tell me they are participating in or attending the 1st ANA Midyear Convention being held this February the 15th through the 19th. I know that this is a wonderful opportunity for many dealers who have not seen our Home and Headquarters to come for a visit and also a wonderful opportunity, or maybe a "reason," for many collectors to visit Colorado Springs who have not had the pleasure of doing so previously. Hopefully we will have an overflow crowd at all functions.



Looking forward to seeing many of you there.

Grover C.

P.S. Once again I personally would like to dispel the idea that Colorado Springs is cold and snowy in mid-February. Having been a visitor here at least fifteen times in mid-February over the last 10 years I can truthfully say the weather here at this time of year is exceptionally nice. Generally 40° to 50° without snow. A crisp clear cold with beautiful blue skies.

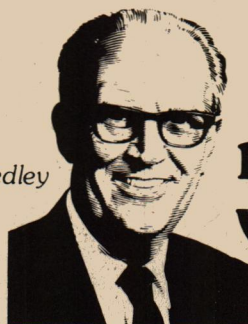
ANA Seeking Applications For Coin Grading Service

Anticipating action by the American Numismatic Association's board of governors at its forthcoming interim meeting in Colorado Springs in mid-February, the ANA is soliciting applications for possible employment to staff the Grading Service, should the program meet with board approval at this meeting.

Applicants should be well versed in U.S. coinage, with knowledge of differences in strikings at various times by the different mints. A numismatic background will prove useful and applicants should furnish a complete resume including schooling, length of time engaged in the hobby, expected salary range, address and telephone number. The American Numismatic Association is an equal opportunity employer.

Resumes and inquiries should be sent to the ANA's executive vice president, P.O. Box 2366, Colorado Springs, CO 80901. They should be received prior to the February 15 beginning of ANA's midyear convention in Colorado Springs.

by glenn b. smedley



numismatic vignettes

■ Maybe it won't be necessary to reprint the new grading book but here's a new (to me) condition. ANACS recently received an 1889 gold dollar marked "unimprovable"! Perhaps that is synonymous with MS-70 but it sure sounds better. What do you say, AK?

■ A Mrs. Lyons in Chicago recently wrote to "Mr. Joseph Leshner's Mint, Victor, Colorado 80860." The Victor Post Office returned the letter marked "addressee unknown." Since Mr. Leshner died in 1918 (at his home in Victor) it seems likely that he is "unknown" to postal employees of today. But Mrs. Lyons was persistent, so she remailed the letter to "Mr. Joseph Leshner, Coin Dealer, Colorado Springs, Colorado, care (of) American Numismatic Assoc." The letter was delivered to ANA, of course, and a reply was sent to the lady but, unfortunately, ANA couldn't carry out the coin trades she hoped to make with Mr. Leshner.

■ Names You Should Know. David C. Wismer. He became a member of ANA in December 1892; was an early collector of and became an authority on obsolete paper money; wrote the serially published "Descriptive List of Obsolete Paper Money" that spanned 14 1/2 years (1922-1936) in *The Numismatist*; was made an Honorary Member of ANA by popular vote August 1941; and lived with his wife to celebrate their 70th wedding anniversary in September 1948. But this follower in the field of bank notes knows him also for having told a

correspondent: "I have some bank notes to offer but none are broken (although) some are torn and ragged."

■ It's said that "A penny well saved is as good as one earned." One penny (cent, if you're a purist) doesn't count for much today, but try this: Put aside one today, double your saving tomorrow, double it again the third (you now have 4¢) and continue doubling your saving each new day. You'll have 8¢ the fourth day, 16¢ the fifth day and so on until, if you can continue the progression, you'll be a millionaire the 28th day and a billionaire the 38th day.

■ Lincoln, Illinois and Lincoln, Nebraska were so named after the 16th president of the United States, born in 1809. There are a number of other towns and some counties so named, especially in the central and western states. But why was this name given to places in the eastern part of the country — places that were established before Abraham Lincoln was born?

A logical explanation is that, like many other names and expressions, these early "Lincolns" came from the mother country of the Colonists. In England there has been a Lincolnshire (county) and within it a town named Lincoln since the early days of that country. In about 1139 the royal title of Earl of Lincoln was created.

If we've answered one question we've raised another, but let's be satisfied with stopping in modern history.

believed by this writer that the punch marks were placed in these medals prior to the time they left the hands of Mr. Leshner. This conclusion is reached because the marks are found on all types and all varieties that have the mining scene. This writer does not know the why behind their being there, but perhaps they were placed in the *almost* same location, in the scene on the medals, as a means of identification (as a counterfeit detection mark, if you will). Placed in

this way Mr. Leshner would know if a piece brought in for redemption was in fact one of the pieces he issued. Any reader who has a better suggestion for the meaning behind these punchmarks is encouraged to let the writer know. In addition, the writer would welcome any information on additional Leshners Referendum Silver Souvenir Medals, and where they are today. Please write to him at 29 Friendship Lane, Colorado Springs, CO 80904.

Acknowledgements

The assistance of Abe Kosoff is gratefully acknowledged for providing the pictures of the three unique Leshner medals from his collection—Zerbe numbers 15, 16 and 17.

Footnotes

¹While Leshner and others since have referred to these pieces as "coins" and "dollars," it must be correctly stated that they are medals. The second and final year of issue has the word "medal" on the reverse.

²While not "pure silver," these medals are .950 fine.

³In 1900 a U.S. Government Assay Office was in Denver, for the Denver Mint was not opened until 1906.

⁴Governor of Colorado, 1893-1901.

⁵U.S. Senator from Colorado, 1889-1901.

⁶The Centennial State entered the Union August 1, 1876.

⁷The cutter was Frank Hurd.

⁸U.S. Senator from Colorado, 1876-1883 and 1888-1914.

⁹Weight is 480 grains (one troy ounce), 35mm in diameter, and .950 fine silver.

¹⁰All medals of this first type examined by the writer have the numbers engraved on each piece.

¹¹Farran Zerbe, "Private Silver Coins Issued in the United States," *American Journal of Numismatics*, 51 (1917), 152-166.

¹²These would have to be the First Type.

¹³No numbers were found above 210 in the 200s and no numbers have been found in the 300s and 400s.

¹⁴R. Leshner does not know of a kinship to Joseph Leshner.

¹⁵Zerbe, p. 160.

¹⁶*Ibid.*, p. 158.

¹⁷Dr. Philip W. Whiteley, "The Leshner Story," *Numismatic Scrapbook Magazine*, Vol. 24 (October, 1958), p. 2041-2053.

¹⁸*Ibid.*, (November, 1958), p. 2328-2335.

¹⁹*Ibid.*, (December, 1958), p. 2829-2838.

²⁰Zerbe No. 17 is listed here out of numerical order. However, this is the last type dated 1900, so it is listed prior to the type dated 1901.

²¹There are two No. 3 Imprints and both have been examined by the writer.

²²There are two No. 8 Imprints and both have been examined by the writer.

²³Earliest known auction of a Leshner medal.

²⁴Pseudonym.

²⁵No numbers were found between 249 and 542.

²⁶Rarity scale, 1 most common to 8 unique.

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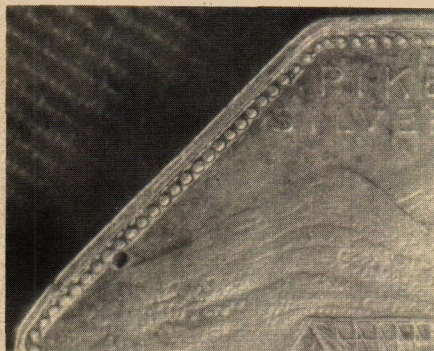
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TABLE I
TYPE LESHER MEDALS

Type	Struck	Known	Pieces in Museums	Rarity ²⁶
First Type	100	38	3	2
Bumstead T 1	210	61	4	1
Bumstead T 2	500	95	5	1
Bank	8	8	2	5
Imprint	1050	31	3	3
Trade Mark	1	1		8
Totals	1869	234	17	

TABLE II
Varieties Made From Imprint Type

Variety	Stamped	Known	Pieces in Museums	Rarity
Slusher	260	47	3	1
Cohen	50	12	2	4
Klein	100	13	2	4
Mullen	50	19	2	3
Park	150	33	2	2
Alexander	50	10	1	5
Goodspeeds	15	4	1	7
Nelson	50	6	1	6
White	50	4	1	7
Stein	1	1		8
Rosser	1	1		8
Totals	777	150	15	



Having located, numismatically, a total of 384 Leshur Medals, this writer believes he has a good enough sampling to logically justify the conclusions reached on the numbers of pieces that Mr. Leshur made, a total of 1869 Joseph Leshur's Referendum Silver Souvenir Medals.

A Leshur question which this writer has not been able to solve, is why there is a small sharp punch mark, as seen on the two photographs here. This writer has not examined all the Leshurs listed in this article. Of those examined, and of those whose pictures that have been seen, only 19 pieces do not have this punch mark. It must be remembered that the First Type and the Trade Mark Type do not have the mining scene; therefore, these would not show the punch mark.

The small sharp punch mark is not entirely through the medals, it is not in the exact same position on each medal, and the depth of the hole made in the medals varies from piece to piece. It is



Leshers, one of them had and Imprint, No. 1050 (note that this number has not been located as an Imprint), and he had the name "H. STEIN" engraved, to have one his rival did not have. It is therefore believed to be a unique piece — one of a kind.

No.	Condition	Known Location
1050	Fine	Rumbel - Whiteley - Kosoff

Removing this one from the stock of Imprints, and engraving H. STEIN, we have 274 remaining Imprints.



Zerbe No. 16 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except engraved into the obverse field, H.H. ROSSER. The piece is engraved.

Mr. Rosser owned a pool room/confectionery store located at 106 North 4th Street, Victor, Colorado. Again, why is there only one piece?

As with the Stein piece, this writer believes that the other rival in Denver promptly had one of his imprints engraved H.H. ROSSER in order to have a new variety — one of a kind.

No.	Condition	Known Location
No number	V Fine	Whiteley - Kosoff

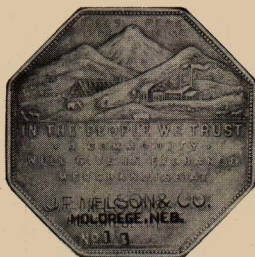
Removing this one from the stock of imprints and engraved "H.H. ROSSER", we have 273 remaining imprints.

Looking at the number of Imprints remaining after removing all of the pieces of the eleven varieties (777 medals), these remaining 273 pieces are a logical total number of imprints — with the 31 known listed earlier. If there were 1050 outstanding Imprints, we would surely have found more than 31 on our list.

Based on the information summarized in the accompanying Table I, this writer believes that there are only 1896 Leshers Medals, of all types. He does not find it logical that there could be the estimates that have been previously given—3000

to 3500 of all types and varieties.

The varieties shown in Table II are considered by this writer to be part of the 1050 Imprint Types, not additional Leshers. For the writer believes, as stated, that there were only 1869 Leshers total.



No.	Condition	Known Location
5	V Fine	K. Lee
9		Adams
13	V Fine	Wilde
31	Poor	Zerbe - American Numismatic Society
33	V Good	Overton
39	V Fine	Whiteley - Kosoff

Removing 50 pieces from the stock of Imprints, to be stamped, J.E. NELSON & CO., we have remaining 325 Imprints.



Zerbe No. 14 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except stamped into the obverse field, W.F. WHITE MERC. CO. / GRAND JCT. COLO. The pieces are known with and without serial numbers.

W.F. White owned a hardware/department store in Grand Junction, Colorado. From the known pieces, this writer believes that 50 medals were stamped W.F. WHITE MERC. CO.

No.	Condition	Known Location
2	V Fine	Roach - Rumbel - Foster - Henderson
3	Unc	Mann - Whiteley - Kosoff
36	Ex Fine	Mann - Whiteley - Wilde
No number	V Fine	American Numismatic Society

Removing 50 pieces from the stock of Imprints, to be stamped W.F. WHITE MERC. CO., we have remaining 275 Imprints.

Zerbe No. 15 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except engraved into the obverse field, H. STEIN. The piece is serially numbered.

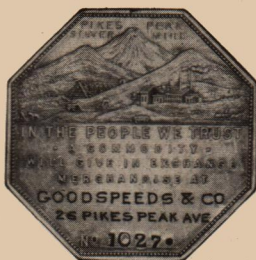
This writer's research has revealed that Mr. Stein was a printer in Canon City, Colorado. Only one piece is known engraved H. STEIN. Why only one piece?

It is known that two numismatists, both who lived in the Denver, Colorado area, were great rivals in the collection of Leshmer medals. They were C.W. Cowell and O.H. Mann. When one would discover a new type or variety, he would proudly show it to the other, "Here is one you do not have." This writer suspects that in their zeal for new

Mr. Alexander was a jeweler in Salida, Colorado. There were probably 50 medals stamped with the name W.C. ALEXANDER.

No.	Condition	Known Location
1	V Fine	Mann - Roach - Rumbel - Foster - ANA auction 1977
2	V Fine	Alexander - Whiteley - R. Mitchell (has 1/8 rotation of reverse to the right)
8	V Good	Cowell - Briggs - Zerbe - American Numismatic Society
10	Unc	Overton
18	Fine	Rumbel - Foster - Wilde
23	Unc	Edlow
30	Ex Fine	Mann - Whiteley - Kosoff
31	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
33	V Fine	Henderson
37	Unc	Mann - Whiteley - Wilde

Removing these 50 from the stock of Imprints, to be stamped W.C. ALEXANDER, we have remaining 390 Imprints.



Zerbe No. 12 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except engraved into the field, GOODSPEEDS & CO / 26 PIKES PEAK AVE. All known pieces have the name engraved, not stamped.

Mr. L.G. Goodspeed had a jewelry and optical store at 26 Pikes Peak Ave., Colorado Springs, Colorado. Whiteley stated that the name was spelled incorrectly on the medals, adding an "S" to make "GOODSPEEDS," and a review of *The Giles City Directory of Colorado Springs*, May 1900, does spell the name with a final "S." However, previous and subsequent like directories omit the "S." It is difficult to say which was correct when the Lesher medal was issued. It is not known how many medals were engraved, but believed to be only a "few." With four known pieces, and reviewing these numbers, it is this writer's belief that no more than 15 went to Goodspeeds.

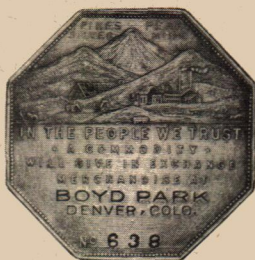
No.	Condition	Known Location
27		Roach - Mehl auction 2/8/44
1015	Unc	Briggs - Zerbe - American Numismatic Society
1020	Ex Fine	Mann - Whiteley - Kosoff
1027	Ex Fine	Mann - Rumbel - Foster - Wilde

Removing 15 from the stock of Imprints, to be engraved GOODSPEEDS & CO, we have remaining 375 Imprints.

Zerbe No. 13 Variety

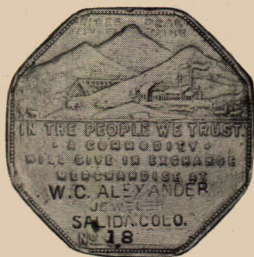
Same as Zerbe No. 5, except stamped into the obverse field, J.E. NELSON & CO. / HOLDREDGE, NEB. The pieces are serially numbered.

This is the only known Lesher to have the name of a business firm located outside of the state of Colorado. Whiteley stated that Nelson gave away his Leshers when he opened his new clothing store in the Trammel Block, in Holdredge, Nebraska. From the numbers known, it is believed by this writer that 50 pieces were stamped J.E. NELSON & CO.



No.	Condition	Known Location
511	Unc	Manfredi
512		Casterline
517	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster - ANA auction 1977
527	Ex Fine	Smoots - Rumbel - Foster - Kelley auction 12/4/59
528	Unc	Whiteley - Kosoff
533	V Fine	Rumbel - Foster - Madison Coin Box
534	Unc	R. Mitchell
535	Ex Fine	Henderson
537	Unc	R. Mitchell
540	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
552	V Fine	Overton
563		Private collection
565		Private collection
580	V Fine	Zander - ANA auction 1954
584	Fine	ANA auction 1956
587	Unc	Kern - Mehl auction 5/23/50
590	Fine	Rumbel - Foster - Hays - D. Brown
592	Unc	Harris
594	Unc	Louden
603	Unc	American Numismatic Society
604	Ex Fine	Lessin
613	Ex Fine	McVitty - Mehl auction 3/22/38
618		<i>The Numismatist</i> , Aug. 1911, p. 271
628	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster
638	Unc	Wilde
643	Unc	Forman - D. Lee
646	Unc	Cowell - Roach - Neil - Kaplan
No number	Unc	Rumbel - Foster - Overton
No number	Unc	R. Mitchell
No number	Ex Fine	Grinnell - Rumbel - Foster - Loudon
No number	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1977
No number	V Fine	Zerbe - Chase Manhattan Money Museum
No number	V Fine	Roach - Rumbel - Foster - Hilty - Nusbaum

Withdrawing 150 pieces from the stock of Imprints, to be stamped BOYD PARK, we have remaining 440 Imprints.



Zerbe No. 11 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except stamped into the obverse field, W.C. ALEXANDER / JEWELER / SALIDA, COLO. The second "A" in "SALIDA" is an inverted "V." The pieces are serially numbered.

No.	Condition	Known Location
1074	Good	D. Lee
1075	V Fine	Klein - Wilde
1096		American Numismatic Society (not there in 1973)

Removing 100 pieces from the stock of Imprints, to be stamped D.W. KLEIN & CO. we have remaining 640 Imprints.



Zerbe No. 9 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except stamped into the obverse field, GEO. MULLEN / VICTOR, COLO. The pieces are known both serially numbered and without numbers.

Again, while Whiteley believed that 100 pieces were struck for Mullen, a review of the listed numbers reveals that probably only 50 were stamped GEO. MULLEN.

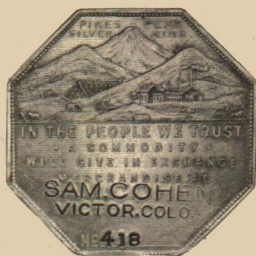
No.	Condition	Known Location
1502	Ex Fine	Shroyer - Whiteley - Kosoff
1503		Mann
1504	Fine	Zerbe - Chase Manhattan Money Museum
1505	Ex Fine	Krewson - Henderson
1507	Unc	American Numismatic Society
1509	Good	Briggs - Mann - Rumbel - Foster - ANA auction 1977
1511	Unc	Mann - Rumbel - Foster - Overton
1516	V Good	Mann - Roach - Rumbel - Foster
1517	Fine	Gilbert - Louden - Wilde
1521	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mann
1527	Unc	Lawrence
1533	Ex Fine	Hamilton - Birt
1537	Poor	(worn smooth)
1539	Ex Fine	Crozier - Wilde
1543	Unc	Kaplan
1547	V Fine	Whiteley - Kaplan
No number	Ex Fine	Morgan - Rumbel - Foster - Hearst - Hilty
No number	Unc	Whiteley - Kosoff
No number	Unc	Merkin
No number	V Fine	Whiteley - Kaplan

Removing 50 from the stock of Imprints, to be stamped GEO. MULLEN, we have remaining 590 Imprints.

Zerbe No. 10 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except stamped into the obverse field. BOYD PARK / DENVER, COLORADO. The pieces are known both serially numbered and without numbers.

Mr. Park was a jeweler, and the store was located at 16th and Curtis Streets, Denver, Colorado. Whiteley believed that about 200 pieces were struck for Park. The listed pieces indicate that only 150 were stamped BOYD PARK.



Imprints from stock were stamped for SAM COHEN. Of the twelve COHEN pieces listed below, seven are known by this writer to have a "punch" in the rising, or setting sun, in the mining scene. Such a "punch" has only been found on the COHEN variety.

No.	Condition	Known Location
403	Ex Fine	Shroyer - Whiteley - R. Mitchell
406	Ex Fine	Brenner - Chase Manhattan Money Museum
407	Ex Fine	Overton
413	Ex Fine	American Numismatic Society
415	Ex Fine	Shroyer - Whiteley - D. Lee
418	Unc	Mann - Roach - Rumbel - Foster - Wilde
425	V. Fine	Whiteley - Wilde
426	Ex Fine	Mann - Kagin sale 9/12/72
428	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mann - Brand - Whitely - Kosoff
429	Fine	Briggs - Roach - Rumbel - Foster - ANA auction 1977
436	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster - Henderson
437	Unc	Bowers & Ruddy

Removing 50 from the stock of Imprints, to be stamped SAM COHEN, we have remaining 740 Imprints.



Zerbe No. 8 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except stamped into the obverse field, D.W. KLEIN & CO / PUEBLO, COLO. The pieces are serially numbered.

Mr. Klein had a retail liquor store in Pueblo, Colorado. Whiteley stated that Klein purchased 300 pieces. However, with a review of the known numbered pieces listed here, it is believed by this author that only 100 pieces were stamped D.W. KLEIN & CO.

No.	Condition	Known Location
971		(Listed by Whiteley, without owner.)
1036	Ex Fine	Overton
1040	Unc	Mann - Whiteley - Kaplan
1051	Poor	Zerbe - Whiteley - Kaplan
1063	Fine	Mann - Rumbel - Foster - Ostheimer
1066	Unc	Cowell - Mann - Brand - Whiteley - Kosoff
1068	V Fine	Roach - Mehl auction 2/8/44
1069	Unc	American Numismatic Society
1070	Ex Fine	Merkin
1071	Ex Fine	Zerbe - Chase Manhattan Money Museum

No.	Condition	Known Location
3	Ex Fine	Davis - Dugan
4	V Good	Cowell - R. Mitchell
7	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
11	V Fine	Mann - Rumbel - Foster
13	V Fine	Kern - Mehl auction 5/30/50
19	V Fine	Kreisberg-Cohen auction 5/17/68
24		Mann
28	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1954
32	Ex Fine	Loose - R. Smith
49	Ex Fine	H. Brown - Low auction 10/11/04
57	V Fine	Smoots - Rumbel - Foster - Overton
60	Unc	Harris
72	Ex Fine	Wilde
76		Lash
77		Mann - Private collection
78	Ex Fine	Hays - ANA Museum
81	Ex Fine	Whiteley - Kosoff
90	Ex Fine	Purchase - Mason ²⁴
99	Ex Fine	Bowers & Ruddy
106	Ex Fine	Mann - Rumbel - Foster - R. Mitchell
109	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1954
114	V Good	Mann - Lusk - Empire Coin Co.
117	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster
120	Ex Fine	Cowell - R. Mitchell
122	Ex Fine	Federal Brands Enterprises, Inc. auction 1/20/66
143	V Fine	Miller - Stack's auction 5/24/74
145	V Fine	Kreisberg-Cohen auction 5/17/68
156	Unc	American Numismatic Society
162	Ex Fine	Chase Manhattan Money Museum
165	Ex Fine	Henderson
170	V Good	ANA auction 1954
172	V Good	ANA auction 1954
179	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster
184	Unc	D. Lee
185	V Fine	Brenner - Lessin
191	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster - Kaplan
193	Good	J. Anderson - A. Anderson
201	Fine	ANA auction 1954
203	V Good	Gramberg - Mehl auction 7/16/17
228	Unc	Overton
230	Good	Cowell - Southwest Rare Coin Galleries, Inc.
246	Ex Fine	Madison Coin Box
248		Mann - Roach - Mehl auction 2/8/44
249	Unc	Mann - Rumbel - Foster - ANA auction 1963
542 ²⁵	Ex Fine	Cowell - R. Mitchell
547	Fine	Wilde
Unreadable number	Poor	Bennett

Keeping a running count on the Imprints, the removal from stock of 260 to be stamped SLUSHER, leaves 790 Imprints.

Zerbe No. 7 Variety

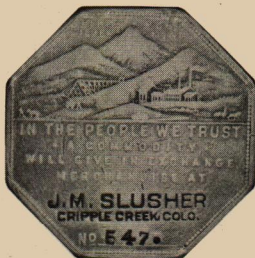
Same as Zerbe No. 5, except stamped into the obverse field SAM COHEN / VICTOR, COLO. The pieces are serially numbered.

Mr. Cohen was a jeweler in the Guinan Building, on Victor Avenue, Victor, Colorado. In later years, Mr. Cohen practiced law in New York City. He published a book in 1940, telling of his experiences in the mining towns of Victor and Cripple Creek, *Gold Rush De Luxe*. Reviewing the known numbers, it is probable that 50

No.	Condition	Known Location
1	Unc	Brenner - Chase Manhattan Money Museum
3	Unc	American Numismatic Society
3 ²¹	V Fine	J. Anderson - Colorado State Museum
8	Unc	Roach - Rumbel - Foster - Wilde
8 ²²	Ex Fine	Overton
11	Unc	ANA auction 1977
12	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
41	Unc	Rumbel - Foster - Overton
43	Ex Fine	Wilde
45	Ex Fine	H. Brown - Low auction 10/11/04 ²³
47		Private collection
439	V Fine	Rumbel - Foster
1002	Unc	R. Mitchell
1004	Ex Fine	Wilde
1008	V Fine	ANA auction 1954 (listed as SLUSHER variety, probably in error).
1017	V Good	Gramberg - Mehl auction 7/16/19
1022	Ex Fine	Briggs - ANA auction 1954
1025	V Fine	Rumbel - Foster - Edlow
1028	Ex Fine	Lessin
1041	V Fine	Superior Stamp & Coin Co., Inc. auction 2/21/77
1047	Unc	Casterline
1048	Unc	Westervelt - C. Nichols - N. Nichols
No number	Unc	R. Mitchell
No Number	Unc	Kaplan
No Number	Unc	Kaplan
No Number	Unc	Hays - D. Brown
No Number	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster - Whiteley - Kosoff
No Number	V Fine	Bewley
No number	V Fine	Madison Coin Box
No number	Fine	Louden
No number	V Good	Roach - ANA auction 1954

After Leshner's trouble with the government, he changed the wording, adding "SILVER" and "MEDAL" to the dies dated 1901.

Leshner admitted to Zerbe that he did not keep good records, and he did not know how many pieces of each type and variety were made. It is believed that 1050 pieces of this Imprint Type were struck for stock, on which a merchant's name could be added. Assuming this 1050 quantity true, each time we add a variety we reduce the remaining stock of Imprints. The eleven varieties follow.



ZERBE No. 6 Variety

Same as Zerbe No. 5, except stamped into the obverse field, J.M. SLUSHER / CRIPPLE CREEK, COLO. The pieces were serially numbered.

Mr. Slusher was a grocer, 165 Bennett Ave., in the mining town of Cripple Creek, Colo. An analysis of the numbers listed below, concludes that 260 Imprints were stamped SLUSHER.

Remaining with pieces dated 1900, is one now listed of which Zerbe was not aware. This medal has been given a Zerbe number - No. 17 - by this writer, for purposes of conformity. Dr Whiteley introduced this new type¹⁹ giving it the name "Trade Mark Applied For."



Zerbe No. 17²⁰ Trade Mark Applied For

Obverse: Legend at top, TRADE MARK APPLIED FOR. Also, A / COMMODITY / WILL GIVE / IN EXCHANGE / MERCHANDISE / AT. Reverse: same as Zerbe No. 3.

Whiteley suggested that Lesher struck this piece thinking it was necessary to be submitted when applying for a trade mark. Only one piece of this type is known.

No.	Condition	Known Location
No number	Unc	Whiteley - Kosoff

With the new year, 1901, the weight, size and price of the next Lesher type was reduced. The new diameter was 32 mm, the weight 412 1/2 grains (as was the standard weight of a U.S. silver dollar), and the new price \$1. This new type, the sixth and final type known, is called the Imprint Type, which has a blank field for adding business names and addresses. When such imprints were added, they became varieties of the Imprint Type.



Zerbe No. 5 Imprint Type

Obverse: Mining scene with a few minor changes from Zerbe No. 2 (an example is the ears of the donkey, lower left corner of the scene). Below, IN THE PEOPLE WE TRUST / A COMMODITY / WILL GIVE / IN EXCHANGE / MERCHANDISE AT / NO. A space was provided just above "NO." for a business imprint. Reverse: JOS LESHERS REFERENDUM SILVER SOUVENIR MEDAL, in legend at top; seal of State of Colorado, as on Zerbe No. 2, dividing PRICE and \$1, with U.S. PATENT on left, and NO. 62,695 on the right. Below, TRADE MARK REG. U.S. PAT. OFF. / NO. 36,192 Apr. 9, 1901. / DESIGN PAT. APR. 16, 1901. / M'F'D' / VICTOR COLO. / 1901.

All imprints were die struck with numbers to be added. They are known both with and without numbers. Those known by this writer are listed.

No.	Condition	Known Location
981	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
982	V Fine	Hamilton - Brit
988	Unc	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
989	Ex Fine	Malyewicz - Bowers and Ruddy
990	Unc	Harvey - Harris
995	V Good	Ahlquist - Henderson
1000	Unc	Rumbel - Foster - R. Mitchell
1002	Unc	R. Mitchell
1013	Unc	Roach - R. Mitchell
1535		Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
1536	Unc	Crabb - Krueger
1740	Unc	Kreisberg & Cohen auction 1/19/70
1741		Cowell - Sweeny

During Farran Zerbe's interview with Mr. Leshner in 1914, Zerbe reported that Leshner said, "Not many days elapsed after the production of the first Leshners before their producer had a call from Government officers. He now tells amusedly that on his compliance with their request to see the dies, they pulled out a little sack into which they put the dies and walked away, and I never saw the dies again."¹⁶ This action was taken because the officers claimed the medals were used as though they were coins, thus contrary to U.S. law. However, nothing can be found in the many newspaper articles on Leshner's new project with reference to confiscated dies, and such news would have been "hot" and very printable. Dr. Whiteley, in his article¹⁷ suggests that Leshner was in trouble with the government after he minted his Bank Type.



Zerbe No. 4 Bank Type

Obverse: Upper half same as Zerbe 3; inscription in lower half, A COMMODITY / WILL GIVE MERCHANDISE OR CASH / AT ANY BANK / No.; at the bottom, in a curved line, AT BULLION VALUE. Reverse: same as Zerbe No. 3.

This writer also believes that it was now that Leshner was in trouble with the U.S. Government. In stating on the medal that they would be redeemed at any bank in merchandise (what type of merchandise from any bank was not known) or cash, Leshner was competing with legal tender and it was probably on this basis that Government officers confiscated the Bank Type dies.

Leshner told Zerbe that only 5 Bank Type medals were struck, and Whiteley listed 6 pieces.¹⁸ Listed here are 8 Bank Type medals known to this author.

No.	Condition	Known Location
1525	Ex Fine	Cowell - SeRo Coins, Inc.
1530	Unc	Overton
1563	Ex Fine	Briggs - Roach - Boyd - Whiteley - Kosoff
1620	Ex Fine	Brenner - Zerbe - American Numismatic Society
1621	Ex Fine	Mann - Rumbel - Foster - Whiteley - Wilde
1631	Ex Fine	Zerbe - Chase Manhattan Money Museum
1660		Acree
1696		Mann - Boyd - Kagin

No.	Condition	Known Location
726	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster
727	Ex Fine	Southwest Rare Coin Galleries, Inc.
728	Unc	Moyer
731	Ex Fine	Whitmore
733	Ex Fine	Grinnell - Overton
735	V Fine	Madison Coin Box
736	V. Fine	Wilde
737	Unc	Whiteley - Kosoff
738	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1977
742	Ex Fine	Jenks - Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
744	Unc	ANA Slide Set #5 (not available in 1977)
746	Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
752	V Fine	Koppenhaver
754		Casterline
755	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
768	Unc	Kreisberg auction 9/19/60
774	Unc	Kagin auction 4/28/52
778	V Fine	Moore
780	Unc	Chase Manhattan Money Museum
783	Ex Fine	K. Lee - Stevenson
786	V Fine	Superior Stamp & Coin, Inc. auction 2/21/77
787	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1954
788	Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
792	V Good	Rumbel - Foster
793	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
795		Cowell - Houghton
802	Unc	Thomas
816		ANA auction 1972
834	Unc	R. Mitchell
838	Unc	Gramberg - Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
843	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
844	Ex Fine	Moyer
849	Unc	Kaplan
858	Fine	Whiteley - Colorado State Museum
869	Unc	Zander - Mehl auction 11/23/45
874	Unc	Chase Manhattan Money Museum
878	Ex Fine	Kreisberg-Cohen auction 5/17/68
881	V Good	GENA auction 1975
882	Unc	Chilton - Mehl auction 12/15/38
910	Unc	Whiteley - Kreisberg auction 9/18/61
919	Ex Fine	Stack's auction 1/4/76
920	V Fine	Kreisberg auction 9/19/60
926	V Fine	Boraker - Klein
928	Ex Fine	American Numismatic Society
930	Good	(gold plated) Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
932	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
934		Newman
937	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1963
938	Fine	Henderson
943		Private collection
944	V Fine	Gramberg - Lessin
950	Unc	Hilty
953	V Fine	Gramberg - Mehl auction 7/16/19
968		Private collection
969	Unc	Bowers and Ruddy
971	Unc	Madison Coin Box
976	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster
977	Good	(loop attached) Gramberg - Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
978	Unc	Cowell - ANA auction 1954

No.	Condition	Known Location
582	Ex Fine	Chase Manhattan Money Museum
584	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1954
588	Ex Fine	Wittow
590	V Good	R. Mitchell - P. Mitchell
593	Unc	Briggs - Rumbel - Foster
595	Fine	Ahlquest - Henderson
596	Ex Fine	Eads

Not only was Mr. Bumstead the first merchant to use Mr. Leshner's scheme, but the success was emphasized with a second order from Bumstead. Again "A.B. Bumstead" appeared on this new issue; however, a new type was created.



Zerbe No. 3 Bumstead Type, Second Reverse

The mining scene and wording is the same as Zerbe No. 2; however, the reverse is without scrolls in the field on both sides of the Colorado seal, and no line above the word "COLO."

Zerbe stated in an article that, "... It is presumed that 1000 were struck ..." of this Bumstead Type II, and numbers are listed below from 606 to 1741. It is noted that only 6 pieces are known above number 1000. Therefore, it is this writer's contention that there were not more than 500 Zerbe No. 3 medals struck, again based on the following known numbers.

No.	Condition	Known Location
606	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster - Kreisberg-Cohen auction 5/17/68
612	Ex Fine	<i>The Western Brand Book</i> , 1948, p. 181
614	Unc	Zander - Rumbel - Foster - ANA Museum
620	V Fine	Ulrich - Steinberg
622	V Fine	Louden
632	Ex Fine	Madison Coin Box
636	Unc	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
637	Ex Fine	Madison Coin Box
646	Unc	Bohler
648	V. Fine	Cossum - McGinn - Moyer
653	Ex Fine	Lepczyk auction 1/28/77
656	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
657	V Fine	Private Collection
676	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
678	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
680	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
684	Unc	Rumbel - Foster
688	Unc	Grimell - Wilharm - ANA auction 1954
706	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
707	Unc	Hays - D. Brown
716	Ex Fine	Rumbel - Foster
718	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
723		Kwock

While the article of November 14, 1900 stated there would be 500 pieces struck as a second edition, and Farran Zerbe in his published article stated that 600 medals of this second type were made, it is highly unlikely that more than 210 were actually struck.¹³ This conclusion is reached based on the following known numbers.

No.	Condition	Known Location
110	Unc	Madison Coin Box
113	Unc	K. Nichols
116	V Fine	D. Lee - Turnoff
117	V Fine	ANA auction 1954
119	Unc	Overton
133	V Fine	Southwest Rare Coin Galleries, Inc.
138	Unc	Rumbel - Foster
139	Unc	American Numismatic Society
141	Fine	Mayfield
142	Ex Fine	Kaplan
145	Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
146	Ex Fine	Heller - Steinberg - Spangenberg
148	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
154	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
157	Unc	Grinnell - Mehl auction 6/15/43
158		Fuld
162	Unc	Roach - Taylor
165	Ex Fine	Brenner - Lessin
169	Unc	Hays - D. Brown
180	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1954
185	Ex Fine	ANA auction 1954
192	Unc	Rumbel - Foster - Overton
193	Ex Fine	Stack's auction 5/24/74
196	Unc	Lambert - Kern - Mehl auction 5/23/50
197	Unc	Whiteley - Kosoff
201	Unc	<i>So-Called Dollars</i> , 1963, p. 129
203	Unc	Rumbel - Foster
208	Unc	R. Mitchell
210	Unc	Harvey - R. Leshner ¹⁴ - Loudon
502	V Fine	Spangenberg
503	Unc	ANA auction 1977
505	Unc	Cowell - Hilty
509	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
513	Ex Fine	R. Mitchell
515	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
516	Fine	Wilde
517	Unc	Kaplan
519	Ex Fine	Garrett - Johns Hopkins University
526	Ex Fine	Garrett - John Hopkins University
529	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
532	Good	Rumbel - Foster
541	Fine	GENA auction 1975
547	Ex Fine	Cowell - Madison Coin Box
559	Ex Fine	Bowers and Ruddy
560	Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
561	Unc	Neil - ANA auction 1954
563	Unc	Wiles - Wilde
564		Private collection
565	Ex Fine	Heller - Steinberg - Spangenberg
570	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
571	Ex Fine	Madison Coin Box
573	V Fine	Southwest Rare Coin Galleries, Inc.
578	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
579	Unc	Chatillon - Rumbel - Foster - Kaplan

Another article appeared in the *Victor Daily Record*, dated Wednesday, November 14, 1900.

LESHER DOLLARS IN DEMAND

"The Publication of His Silver Scheme Has Caused a Sensation and a Rush For the Souvenirs — Merchants Anxious To Use Them.

The account of Joseph Leshner's scheme to coin silver at a private mint appearing in yesterday morning's newspapers caused a sensation, not only in Victor and Colorado, but throughout the United States.

It set business men, financiers and mine owners to talking and thinking and brought novelty seekers in great numbers to Mr. Leshner's house. He and his wife had hardly begun breakfast in their little home when the rush began. It seemed that everyone in town was anxious to become the possessor of a 'referendum dollar'. One rap after another shook the front door and visitor after visitor was turned away with the assurance that there were not enough dollars on hand to go around.

The most welcome visitor of the morning was A.B. Bumstead, proprietor of the grocery on North street. Mr. Bumstead was welcome because he proposed to accept the souvenirs in exchange for groceries and give them out to anyone who wanted them in change.

This took a load off Mr. Leshner's mind, because he did not relish the idea of having his peaceful home turned into a sub-treasury. He gave Mr. Bumstead all the 'referendums' he had on hand, about 100⁽¹²⁾, and afterwards referred all comers to the dealer in groceries. A few minutes after this arrangement had been concluded a messenger boy in blue clothes and brass buttons brought a telegram from the headquarters of the Associated Press in New York asking for details.

This matter was disposed of and the proprietors of several stores called, all of them anxious to use referendum dollars in their business by receiving them for goods and paying them out in change and clerk hire. Mr. Leshner took their names and promised to supply them with souvenirs as soon as he had some more made.

The first edition of the souvenirs is now practically exhausted and the next issue will consist of 500 pieces. These will be manufactured by the novelty works in Denver.

There are but two opinions of Mr. Leshner's scheme expressed here. One that it is feasible and will be of great practical benefit to Colorado industries, and the other that it is impractical if not illegal. The decision seems to lie with the public. If the business men, as they now seem disposed, encourage the scheme and redeem the dollars the success of the undertaking seems probable, assuming, of course, that the United States authorities do not discover some ground for interference."



Zerbe No. 2. Second Type.

Bumstead — First Reverse. Obverse: A typical mountain mining scene in the upper half of the field; inscription at the top, PIKES PEAK / SILVER MINE; below, A COMMODITY / WILL GIVE / IN EXCHANGE / MERCHANDISE / A.B. BUMSTEAD / No. Reverse: Legend around top, JOS. LESHER REFERENDUM SOUVENIR; in center of upper half is the device from the seal of the State of Colorado, with motto NIL SINE NUMNE (Nothing without God) separating 1. OZ. and COIN; below, SILVER / PRICE 1.25 / M'F'D. VICTOR / COLO. / 1900. Scrolls are in the field left and right of the Colorado State seal.

When Farran Zerbe interviewed Mr. Lesher in 1914, Lesher was 74 years old and said he did not know how many pieces were struck, but he believed it to be between 3,000 and 3,500 medals. Lesher, however, did not correlate the numbering system between types and varieties.

All known writers on Lesher medals have believed that 100 pieces of this first type were struck, and all numbers were hand engraved on the medals. After a detailed, six year search, the following pieces are known numismatically. While some medals are not located in a named collector's hands today, it is considered that since they were traded numismatically, as identified below, then they are surely still in collections today. Perhaps this article will help to identify new locations of the Lesher medals. All pieces listed as being in the possession of Madison Coin Box were stolen in June of 1977, and those listed in private collections have owners who prefer to remain anonymous.

No.	Condition	Known Location
2	Unc	Roach - Mehl auction 2/8/45
6	Unc	Rumbel - Foster - Kaplan
7	Good	McVitty - ANA Auction 1956
8	Ex Fine	Kreisberg-Cohen auction 6/17/68
13	Fine	Gramberg - Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
15	Ex Fine	A & A Coins
16	Fine	Wilde
18	V Fine	Chase Manhattan Money Museum
25	V Good	Chatillon - Burton - Porter - Mehl auction 6/23/42
26	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
28	Ex Fine	Whiteley - Kosoff
30	Ex Fine	Kreisberg auction 11/25/63
35	Ex Fine	Gramberg - Mehl auction 7/16/19
40	V Fine	Chase Manhattan Money Museum
41	Unc	Cowell - R. Mitchell
42	Unc	ANA auction 1963
44	Unc	Briggs - Rumel - Foster - Taylor
45	Fine	Madison Coin Box
46	Unc	Cowell - Henderson
47	Ex Fine	Henderson
50	Unc	R. Mitchell
51	Unc	Brenner - American Numismatic Society
60	Unc	Louden
63	Ex Fine	Smoots - Mehl auction 2/23/32
64	Ex Fine	Hilty - Bowers and Ruddy auction 6/5/75
67	Ex Fine	Salony
75	V Good	Sears - Crichton - Cowell - ANA auction 1977
77	V Fine	Briggs - Rumel - Foster - Hays - Young - Welty
78	Good	Zander - Mehl auction 11/23/45
82	Ex Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
85	V Fine	Krewson - Henderson
86	Ex Fine	Cowell - Rumbel - Foster - D. Lee
90	V Good	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
92	V Fine	Cowell - Mehl auction 12/18/23
93	Fine	F. Peck - J. Peck - M. Peck
94	Unc	Morgan - Rumbel - Foster - Hilty
96	Unc	Overton
99	Unc	Private collection

The money factory is located at the Leshar residence on West Victor avenue. The proprietor is well known to Victor people and all of them wish him success in his patriotic enterprise.

Who was this man? Joseph Leshar was born on July 12, 1838, in Fremont, Ohio, far from the Colorado Rockies and his claim to fame. As a young man he served in the War Between the States with the Union Army, returning to civilian life as a merchant. But the wander lust soon got the best of him and he headed for Georgetown, Colorado and the life of a miner. Within two years Leshar was prospecting on his own. After four years in Colorado he returned to Ohio for a time where he engaged in livery business with W.S. Wait, but Colorado could not be denied and he returned to the mountains.

Leshar mined in the areas of Georgetown, Leadville, and Silver San Juan, and owned a productive silver mine near Central City. Consequently the demise of silver coinage by the U.S. government in 1873, better known as the "Crime of 1873," hit Leshar along with most Colorado miners as a disaster. Banks, business houses, and mines failed, and thousands were unemployed. William Jennings Bryan built a national platform around the free coinage of silver and Leshar was on his side all the way, but gold was to have its day and the discovery of gold in Cripple Creek saved the day for Colorado. Leshar followed prosperity to Cripple Creek and Victor, gaining wealth from

real estate investments, but he remained a believer in free silver, and his plan for silver referendum medals was an effort to see silver utilized once more.

There are only six types and eleven varieties of Leshar's medals, the first type being dated 1900. All types of this same year are 35mm in diameter, and weigh 480 grains, equivalent to one troy ounce of .950 fine silver. The pieces of 1900 are stamped with a price of \$1.25. In identifying the known locations of these medals, the author has shown the names of previous or present collectors, or in those cases where the piece was last known in a dealer's possession, that dealer's name is identified. In many instances dealers' names are known as the intermediary between collectors; however, in those cases the dealer's name is omitted.

Farran Zerbe was the first to give Leshar medals a number,¹¹ and this writer has used his same numbering system. As an example, Zerbe No. 1, number 25 is shown as: "25 V Good Chatillon - Burton - Porter - Mehl auction 6/23/42." This means, 25 is the serial number, V Good the condition, the medal is known to have been in the collections of Chatillon, Burton and Porter, and was last known sold in the Mehl auction of June 23, 1942.



Zerbe No. 1

First Type, 1900. Obverse: JOS LESHAR REFERENDUM SOUVENIR. in the upper hemicircle; below, ONE OZ of coin / Silver / Price 1.25 / M.F.G.D. VICTOR / COLO. / 1900. Reverse: A COMMODITY / Will Give / in / EXCHANGE / Currency / (sic) Coin / OR / MERCHANDISE / AT FACE VALUE / No.

Numismatic history was created in 1900, in the small town of Victor, Colorado, located on the southwest slope of Pike's Peak. The Tuesday morning issue of the *Victor Daily Record*, November 13, 1900, carried the headlines.

**VICTOR MAN STARTS A MINT
THE UNIQUE ENTERPRISE OF AN EX MINER
WHO STILL HAS FAITH IN SILVER**

The Coins ^[1] From His Mint Contain Just One Ounce of Pure Silver ^[2] But Are Worth \$1.25 Apiece Because Redeemable In United States Money — A Scheme To Open Idle Mines.

The enterprise of Victor citizens is proverbial and whether they undertake to set the fashion in the reception of political spell binders or break the record in gold production, they are pretty likely to succeed.

They believe that Victor should have everything any other city has. Denver has a mint^[3], so a Victor man has established a mint also. The Victor mint will coin nothing but silver dollars and the dollars will be worth 25 cents more than the Denver product.

The proprietor of the new mint is Joseph Leshar, one of the pioneers of Colorado. For 20 years he has lived and labored in the silver camps of the state. Georgetown, Central (City), Leadville and the Silver San Juan have known him. When silver declined and gold was found south of Pike's Peak he came to Victor and prospered. Fortunate investments in real estate multiplied his small capital and at this writing he is one of the monied men of the camp.

Mr. Leshar has faith in silver. He also has a sincere desire for its enlarged use. This desire is not entirely unselfish, for Mr. Leshar owns a silver mine near Central (City) that was worked at a profit before the slump of '92, but has since been idle.

For years Mr. Leshar has believed that it would be possible as well as beneficial for Colorado to coin its depreciated silver and use it to facilitate exchange and promote business. The same idea has been suggested by Governor Waite^[4] and entertained by no less person than Senator E.O. Wolcott^[5], but Mr. Leshar is the first man, since Colorado became a state^[6], to carry the theory into execution.

First he had a die manufactured in Denver^[7], then he purchased silver bullion from the smelters. The metal was next rolled out in thin sheets and cut by the die into octagonal pieces, each containing exactly one ounce of pure silver.

Before installing his mint Mr. Leshar applied to Senator Teller^[8] for information and was advised that there would be no legal objection to his enterprise if he refrained from imitating government money. This he has carefully done and his coins differ so greatly both in shape and inscription from legal tender that a blind man can not be deceived by them.

With his present facilities the money maker can turn out 100 dollars a day. The silver costs at present quotations about 65 cents an ounce and the expense of coining is about 15 cents, so the Leshar 'referendum' dollar represents an outlay of 80 cents. The manufacturer charges \$1.25 for one of them.

He calls them 'referendum' dollars because no one is compelled to take them against his will. In other words they are referred to the people for acceptance or rejection. Although Mr. Leshar is convinced that the intrinsic value of an ounce of silver is \$1.29, he does not insist that everyone shall accept his valuation and is prepared to guarantee the parity of his dollars by redeeming each coin in lawful money of the United States. He keeps his cash at the Bank of Victor and expects to arrange with the cashier to cash the 'referendum' dollars in the same manner that checks are cashed.

The coins are a little thicker and much heavier^[9] than the U.S. dollars, but no greater in circumference. They are quite handsome in appearance. On one side is the inscription: 'Joseph Leshar's Referendum Souvenir, one ounce of pure silver, price \$1.25 Mf'd Victor, Colo., 1900.' and on the other 'A Commodity, Will give in exchange currency, coin or merchandise at face value. No—.'

Each coin is numbered consecutively^[10]. Mr. Leshar believes that the merchants of Colorado could put his souvenirs into circulation by accepting them for goods and using them to pay clerks, rent and local expenses. The silver mine owners could pay off their miners in referendum dollars and so open many idle properties. The mint has turned out 100 of the coins, but no effort has been made to put them into circulation. The manufacturer will first sell them as souvenirs and at the same time try to induce the business men to adopt his scheme.



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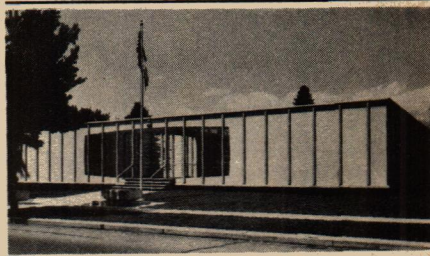
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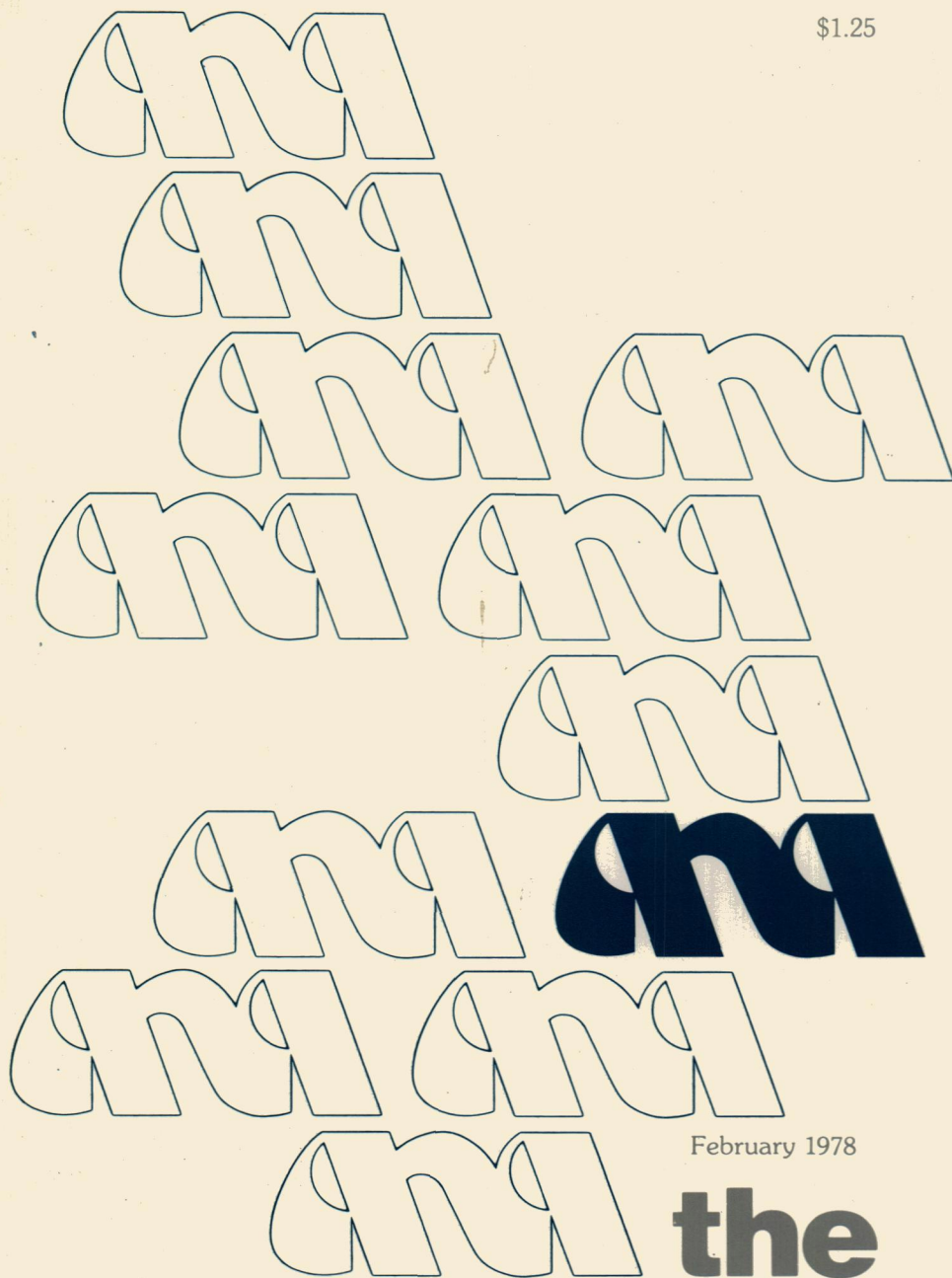
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